

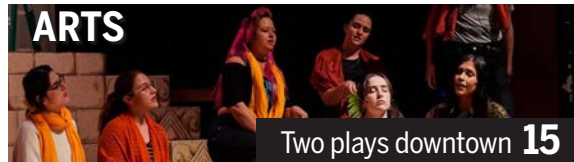


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Mesilla Valley Balloon Rally rises again

DAVID SALCIDO
Las Cruces Bulletin

When was the last time the morning skies over Las Cruces were festooned with gayly colored balloons, suspended like bubbles across the valley? You'd be right if you said 14 years: That's how long it's been since the Mesilla Valley Balloon Rally did a launch from the City of the Crosses, but that's about to change. The rally is back, over the weekend of January 17-19, and this time around, they're bringing technology with them.

"One of the reasons we're doing this is because

we have full-sized balloons, but also the smaller radio-controlled balloons," said Mesilla Valley Balloon Rally organizer Christine Casillas. "Those are amazing, because they function like full-sized balloons, and we're hoping that will bring in a whole new generation."

That last part is a valid concern. The Mesilla Valley Balloon Rally had its humble beginning in 1977, with 13 balloons, but by the time the 21st century rolled around, it was second only to the Albuquerque Balloon Fiesta in size and scope. Yet by the close of the first decade, there were fewer balloons and attendance was dropping off. Many of the stalwarts of the event were retiring

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Las Cruces cures transparency violation, but not unanimously

JUSTIN GARCIA
Las Cruces Bulletin

The Las Cruces City Council passed four resolutions on Jan. 13 to remedy a violation of a state transparency law.

The actions cure the violation after the New Mexico Department of Justice declared in December that the council had broken the state's Open Meetings Act at multiple points during the selection of a new city manager in 2024. (On April 1, Ikani Taumoepeau, then an assistant city manager, assumed the role.)

However, despite the passage, some councilors questioned the process and necessity of remedy while apologizing for the error.

"I feel this whole thing is taking responsibility for our mistakes," Councilor Johana Bencomo said.

Two councilors, Cassie McClure and Bill Mattiace, voted against some of the remedy resolutions, citing concerns about transparency. Still, all the councilors made it a point to express their continuing support for Taumoepeau, who was not present at the meeting.

"Can we learn from this? Absolutely," Mayor Eric Enriquez said before passing the final of four resolutions that cured the error.

Nine months after the Las Cruces Bulletin filed a complaint last March, the New Mexico DOJ found the city "engaged in closed deliberations and invalid (final) actions prior to the single, open public meeting held to discuss the hiring of a new city manager on Apr. 1, 2024," a letter announcing the finding said.

In the same findings, the NMDOJ told the city of Las Cruces it could restart the search or pass resolutions declaring what was discussed in closed meetings. The city chose the latter, although sev-



Las Cruces City Councilor Johana Bencomo addresses violations by the council of New Mexico's Open Meetings Act during a special session at city hall on Jan. 13, 2025.

eral public commenters at the Jan. 13 meeting called on the council to restart the search.

Although public comment was not required, the agenda provided spectators the opportunity to speak about each resolution.

Some of the commenters also expressed dissatisfaction about the city manager's salary, advocated for public meetings with finalists and presented a mix of complaints about city administration dating back to the service of the previous city manager, Ifo Pili. The council made clear repeatedly that Taumoepeau's job performance was not on the agenda.

OMA sets parameters about what and how public bodies like city councils can discuss outside of open session, such as opinions related to personnel matters concerning individual employees. The law's purpose is to ensure that decisions are made in public and that the public has access to the process.

"All states have such laws, which are essentially motivated by the belief that



In a Jan. 13, 2025, special session addressing open meetings violations, Las Cruces City Councilor Bill Mattiace expressed regret over errors in the process while affirming his confidence in City Manager Ikani Taumoepeau.

the democratic ideal is best served by a well-informed public," an NMDOJ guide on the OMA states. "Sunshine laws generally require that public business be conducted in full public view, that the actions of public bodies be taken openly, and that the deliberations of public bod-

ies be open to the public."

Bencomo said the nine months it took for the Attorney General's office to determine a violation had occurred had led to a de facto referendum on the current city manager, which she said was unfair.

"I have some pretty serious issues with that," Bencomo said, pointing out that a similar OMA violation in Bernalillo County was handled faster.

Bencomo also said the AG's investigation lacked a legal discernment between malicious intent and a failure of internal checks and balances. This followed public comments which, at times, accused the council of deceptive intent, which council members repeatedly denied.

Councilor Becky Corran, who also raised questions about the AGs process, said that the city has learned from this process. She said improved transparency would be visible in an upcoming search to replace the executive director of the Animal Services Center of Mesilla Valley.



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Governor welcomes Amador Crossing project

JUSTIN GARCIA
Las Cruces Bulletin

State and local officials broke ground on an affordable housing project on Jan. 8 that they say will benefit Las Cruces and its residents with the greatest needs.

Amador Crossing will be a 50-unit apartment building meant to quickly connect people with housing and other services. The construction cost is about \$15 million. The units are one-bedroom or studio apartments.

According to the city, the primary population will be small households with needs for on-site services.

“The truth is, we let escalated prices in this country – we didn’t build enough properties, and we stopped thinking about the people who need housing in a multitude of ways. Whether you’re talking about veterans, you’re talking about disabled adults, seniors, children, women and children, families and a growing number of folks that find hous-



LAS CRUCES BULLETIN PHOTO BY ALGERNON D'AMMASSA

Las Cruces City Councilor Johana Bencomo and Gov. Michelle Lujan Grisham, center, were among the officials participating in a ceremonial groundbreaking for the Amador Crossing housing project in Las Cruces on Jan. 8, 2025.

ing challenges to be between them and any quality of life,” Gov. Michelle Lujan Grisham said during the event.

Lujan Grisham was among several

state officials present. Lawmakers, city officials and Mesilla Valley Community of Hope officials also joined the effort. Lujan Grisham lauded them for getting the project to this point.

“I’m excited to see what you do next, and I’ve committed to getting you the rest of the resources for this and other projects that you do,” she said.

Amador Crossing will be located at 1101 W. Amador Avenue on city-owned land, as part of the Mesilla Valley Community of Hope campus.

Several streams of public dollars are being used to fund Amador Crossing. They are:

1. City of Las Cruces: \$4 million
2. New Mexico Mortgage Finance Authority Housing Grant \$1.5 million
3. State officials via capital outlay: \$5.9 million
 - a. Gov. Lujan Grisham: \$3 million
 - b. Rep. Micaela Lara Cadena: \$1.27 million
 - c. Sen. Carrie Hamblen: \$500,000
 - d. Rep. Angelica Rubio: \$500,000
 - e. Sen. Jeff Steinborn \$400,000
 - f. Rep. Joanne Ferrary \$300,000

Amador Crossing is part of Las Cruces’ wider affordable housing effort. The city has made significant progress on

other developments, including Three Sisters Apartments (70 units), Pedrena Apartments (80 units) and Peachtree Canyon Apartments (144 units).

It’s all in the service of addressing a vast need in Las Cruces.

The city estimates that Las Cruces is about 5,600 units short of meeting demand. When the housing stock is low, the cost of rent and housing increases. Academic research shows that those factors are also major causes of crime.

“So, in an environment of higher rents, less housing supply, the city is rising to the challenge to meet an essential need,” said Mayor Eric Enriquez during the groundbreaking.

A 2024 point-in-time count, which attempts to measure the number of unhoused residents in a given area but is widely criticized as leading to undercounting, estimated that Las Cruces has about 281 residents experiencing homelessness.

“Amador Crossing will provide not only stable housing but also comprehensive on-site supportive services, including case management health care, access to mental health services, substance use treatment, job training and more,” Enriquez said.

That model of support is called supportive housing. Mesilla Valley Community of Hope Executive Director Nicole Martinez said it will help get people off the streets and on their feet.

“Oftentimes, when we are meeting with people, they need extra help in getting things like IDs and birth certificates, and sometimes they have a hard time advocating for themselves or just aren’t sure where to start,” Martinez said. “So being able to have those basic services as they enter a new phase in their lives, I think, is really helpful.”

The city put the contract out to bid in October. However, despite the groundbreaking, the project is not fully funded. Martinez said that they are about \$2 million to \$4 million short of full funding.

Officials said they hope more funding from the state will come out of the 2025 legislative session, which opens Jan. 21.

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Macias becomes DA amid crime panic

JUSTIN GARCIA
Las Cruces Bulletin

Fernando Macias has a lot of expectations coming into 2025.

Some of those expectations are his own – his plans to reshape and rebuild a district attorney's office that's been consistently scrutinized for nearly a decade – but most come from the outside.

On the 2024 campaign trail, some voters called for the new DA to take a compassionate view of criminal justice, desiring more reliance on diversion than incarceration. Others called for the exact opposite: a crackdown on Las Cruces residents accused of crime and an iron fist in sentencing. But everyone said they wanted to see less crime.

"I know what those expectations are," Macias told the Las Cruces Bulletin during a recent interview, "because I've been working on this job since the day after the election."

Macias officially assumed the role on Jan. 3. He brought eight prosecutors with him, bolstering the depleted office ranks from seven prosecutors to 15. He's still short of reaching "fully staffed" at 20 prosecutors.

Macias also pointed out that all eight new prosecutors are lawyers with local experience. Macias chose them over newly minted lawyers.

"I'm not looking, at



DOÑA ANA COUNTY PHOTO

Fernando Macias is sworn in as Third Judicial District Attorney by Judge Conrad Perea on Dec. 30, 2024.

least initially, for people just coming out of law school, and then having to groom them, because the history of that is that you groom them for a couple of years, then they go off to where they can make a better salary or have a higher title," he said.

According to statistics Macias provided to the Bulletin, those lawyers will have nearly 3,200 cases split between them, with about 2,400 cases in "warrant status." They'll also be tasked with reviewing 700 dismissed cases from the previous administration. Macias said he wants to know if any can be refilled.

At the same time, Ma-

cias is reorganizing the office into divisions that respond to categories of crime instead of silos of attorneys.

"We're looking at a massive amount of work that has gone unattended for quite some time now in order to create what I refer to as a baseline," Macias said. "Where are we at today?"

However, alleviating crime through prosecution is only one of the many expectations of Macias' office. The last administration was also criticized for its lack of transparency – something Macias has promised to reverse.

"That's why I'm trying

to create a baseline. I want the public to know where we are at today. What is really the challenge? Then I want to be able to report to them in six months in terms of, okay, these are the changes that have been implemented," he said.

Specifically, Macias said the DA's office will start regularly reporting information about case backlogs to the public. That information will include data about the timeliness of cases, changes in policy and timelines for certain cases.

Macias also said he plans to host more news conferences, something that his predecessor, Ger-

ald Byers, moved away from for most of his four-year term. Lastly, Macias said that new public information will play a key role in disseminating information to portions of the public that get information through non-traditional channels.

"Part of my goal is to use social media to try to discourage crime in the community. I need people to know the consequences of violating the law. I need for us to be able to target forums that cater to younger people, especially so that they can see that there are ongoing consequences," he said.

As the dust settles from

Macias' reprioritizations and reorganization, the office will focus on cracking down on people who have committed multiple crimes.

Macias' office's top priorities will be harsher sentences, quicker prosecution, and better awareness of "habitual offenders" when they reach the criminal justice system.

"The system hasn't contributed to an effective and efficient criminal justice system, and I'm going to try to do everything that I can to bring those greater efficiencies to the successful prosecution of cases," he said.

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AG seeks court action on WNMU 'golden parachute'

ALGERNON D'AMMASSA
Las Cruces Bulletin

By the time New Mexico Attorney General Raúl Torrez petitioned a court last week to block a \$1.9 million severance payment for Western New Mexico University's outgoing president, Joseph Shepard, the sum had already been paid.

In a press conference on Jan. 9, Torrez said the payment was made on Jan. 2, as the university's entire governing board stepped down and while the state Department of Justice sought answers about a severance agreement unanimously enacted by regents in December. The action voided a previous, less generous severance clause in the president's contract.

"We do not yet know who is responsible for ordering or directing the financial staff at Western New Mexico to go forward with processing the payment," Torrez said at the podium, "but I can as-

sure you that we will take every available measure to get to the bottom of how that decision was made, who made the decision, and how that process unfolded."

Shepard had announced his resignation in the wake of a scandal over spending and financial mismanagement at the Silver City-based university.

Torrez asked the court to prevent Shepard from spending the funds and order them placed into a constructive trust, but District Judge Jarod Hofack denied the request at a subsequent hearing on Jan. 13.

Torrez alleged the university had been slow to respond to his office's requests for documents underpinning the agreement to pay Shepard nearly \$2 million in severance and grant him a faculty appointment paying \$200,000 annually with an eight-month sabbatical.

The generous terms came in spite of a scathing



NEW MEXICO DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE VIDEO
New Mexico House Speaker Javier Martínez and Attorney General Raúl Torrez lead a news conference in Albuquerque on Jan. 9, 2025.

letter of concern from the state auditor in November over mishandling of university purchase cards and lavish spending on international travel, hospitality and fine dining, by Shepard and the regents themselves. Auditors found that the university had even issued a P-card to Shepard's spouse, Valerie Plame, though she was not an employee.

The New Mexico State Ethics Commission is conducting its own investiga-

tion into the matter.

Questions about Shepard's spending first arose in a 2023 investigative report by Searchlight New Mexico, with more coming to light as lawmakers and the state auditor probed the situation.

In a civil complaint, the DOJ alleges Western's board drafted and negotiated a separation agreement behind closed doors, then met in open session to terminate Shepard's 2022 contract and enact the separation agreement at a Dec. 20 public meeting. Under his contract, the severance would instead have been just under \$600,000, per court filings.

The complaint alleges the entire board of regents were in breach of their fiduciary duty to safeguard public money, entered into an unconscionable contract, violated the state Constitution's anti-donation clause in awarding the severance and conducted business

in private unlawfully. Shepard, also named as a defendant, is accused of unjust enrichment.

Shepard's attorney responded with a statement rebuffing the allegations.

"His personal frustrations aside, the Attorney General is too talented and too experienced of a lawyer to believe he has any legitimate claim against Dr. Shepard," attorney John C. Anderson wrote. "Western New Mexico University's Board of Regents has the responsibility and legal authority to negotiate and approve executive compensation and severance agreements. The Board appointed a subcommittee to negotiate Dr. Shepard's separation agreement and then unanimously voted to approve it.

"This entire process was handled appropriately, legally, and transparently. Dr. Shepard did not expedite his payment. Any allegations to the contrary have no legal or factual basis. The state's time would be better spent helping the university focus on its important work of educating and supporting its students during this transition."

Outside of court, Torrez said he would work with lawmakers, who return to Santa Fe Jan. 21, on statutory reforms to how regents – political appointments by the governor – are selected, their powers to award contracts and severance agreements and easing the process of re-

moving regents if they are in breach of their duties.

Standing with Torrez at the podium was New Mexico House Speaker Javier Martínez, who indicated change was overdue.

"This is about safeguarding the money of the people of the state of New Mexico, and this is about ensuring that no one is above the law," Martínez said. "These are public institutions funded through the tax dollars of taxpayers. In this particular case ... a public institution in an otherwise pretty impoverished part of our state."

The university responded with a statement that the severance agreement approved on Dec. 20 stipulated it would be paid no later than Jan. 15.

"The University was planning to make the payment on the same day the agreement was approved. However, the president asked that payment be delayed until January 2, 2025," the statement read. "WNMU's holiday break was scheduled December 23, 2024, through January 1, 2025. When the offices reopened on January 2, 2025, the payment was processed as a part of regular accounting processes."

The statement concluded: "Western New Mexico University's legal counsel has been in regular contact with the Attorney General's office and has been cooperative to provide documents and insight."

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Court scribes assist pro se litigants, jurors

BULLETIN REPORT

New Mexico's Administrative Office of the Courts announced Tuesday an expansion of a free court scribe program assisting people representing themselves in court or jurors.

"State courts in all 33 counties offer scribing services to any self-represented litigants and to people summoned to jury duty who need help in completing their juror questionnaire," the office stated in a news release. "Trained court employees read the form aloud, write down a person's answers word-for-word, and read the answers back to the individual. A completed form is provided to the person, who can then submit it to the court."

Scribes do not, however, offer legal advice.

Litigants have a right to represent themselves in court rather than hire an attorney, but are generally held responsible for complying with rules of court procedure, including various court petitions as in divorce proceedings or requesting a domestic violence restraining order. The forms are online and the scribes are on hand to assist in completing them.

State Supreme Court Chief Justice David K. Thomson said in a press release that the scribes allow more residents to access justice, stating, "The free scribing services in our courts help people



9TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT PHOTO

more easily navigate the legal system when they have no attorney."

The office said the program has assisted 1,200 residents since March 2023.

To access the service, individuals contact the clerk's office in the court where the case is filed. The office recommended calling in advance although on-demand service is often available.

The program was authorized by the Supreme Court of New Mexico in 2022, and expanded in 2024 when all state courts were required to make scribe services available.

The scribes are court employees trained as scribes under the AOC's Title II American Disabilities Act coordinator, Peggy Cadwell, who said the scribes improve access for residents of a state where 29 percent of the population is estimated to read and write at a low literacy level.

Self-represented or "pro se" litigants were involved in half of newly-filed civil lawsuits in New Mexico district courts in the 2024 fiscal year, the AOC stated.



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Solid Waste employees will install the latches on all 64-gallon and 96-gallon residential trash carts during regular trash-collection days, beginning in January. The latches have a fastener at each end to hold your trash cart lid in place and to keep the latches attached to the bin. No drilling or gluing is needed to install them, which takes less than a minute.

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Las Cruces Utilities rolling out trash cart latches



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into your trash cart. And, with the environmentally friendly and weather-resistant latches in place, you won't need to put bricks, rocks or any other heavy items on top of your trash cart to keep the lid closed, and you won't need to fasten the lid with bungee cords or rope. And, please remember, if you need more space for trash, additional carts are always available for customers for a small fee.

There is no additional charge to you for the installation or use of the latch. It is another way Utilities is making your neighborhood – and the entire City – cleaner and safer for everyone, while improving collection efficiency and consistency.

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State Supreme Court strikes down abortion restrictions

JULIA GOLDBERG
Source New Mexico

The New Mexico state Supreme Court unanimously ruled Jan. 9 that several local ordinances restricting abortion rights violate state law, and struck down ones adopted by Lea and Roosevelt counties, along with the cities of Hobbs and Clovis.

“Our Legislature granted to counties and municipalities all powers and duties not inconsistent with the laws of New Mexico. The Ordinances violate this core precept and invade the Legislature’s authority to regulate access to and provision of reproductive healthcare,” the

court wrote in its opinion by Justice C. Shannon Bacon. “Therefore, based on the independent and adequate state law grounds provided in the Reproductive and Gender-Affirming Health Care Freedom Act, the Medical Practice Act, the Medical Malpractice Act, and the Health Care Code, as well as the Uniform Licensing Act, we hold the Ordinances are preempted in their entirety.”

Because state law precludes the ordinances, the court did not take up the issue of whether they also violate the state constitution, an argument made by Attorney General Raúl Torrez in his challenge to the ordinances.



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Demonstrators display signs supporting abortion rights on May 3, 2022.

As Source New Mexico previously reported, abortion opponents in Texas pressured New Mexico officials to pass the ordinances as part of a larger legal strategy based on the obscure federal Comstock Act of 1873, which bans the mailing of abortion pills or abortion-related materials. The local governments passed the ordinances in the aftermath of the US Supreme Court’s June 2022 reversal of federal abortion rights.

“The bottom line is simply this — abortion is safe and secure in New Mexico,” Torrez said

Thursday morning in response to the court’s ruling. “It’s enshrined in law by the recent ruling by

the New Mexico Supreme Court and thanks to the work of the New Mexico Legislature.”

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Police to host town hall on crime stats, legislative proposals

BULLETIN REPORT

The Las Cruces Police Department announced a town hall for Jan. 23 that will focus on crime statistics and possible legislative changes for the upcoming session.

The meeting is part of a regular series of police-hosted town halls but comes after Las Cruces Police Chief Jeremy Story advocated for changes to several policy areas.

“The legislative session is about to start, and there is hope that meaningful change can happen with our community’s help,”

Story said in a news release announcing the meeting. “Waiting won’t work. It’s time to address crime, untreated mental illness and addiction.”

It’s not typical for police departments and their leaders to play the role of advocate, but Story has taken on that role following the killing of LCPD officer Jonah Hernandez in 2024.

Story has called for state officials to change state competency laws, pretrial detention laws, laws around felons in possession of guns and police recruitment and reten-

tion.

“The meeting will serve as an opportunity for residents to connect with LCPD officials, gain insight on the topics, ask questions and contribute to the ongoing efforts to help promote a safer community,” the news release said. “Las Cruces police encourage residents and business owners to attend and provide their feedback.”

The town hall meeting, which usually lasts two hours, will start at 6 p.m. at city hall in the Las Cruces City Council chambers.

Cat's Meow addresses feral colonies in city

MIKE COOK
For the Bulletin

Thanks to a grant from Petco Love foundation, The Cat's Meow Adoption Center was able to spay or neuter an additional 44 cats in 2024, preventing the births of "lots and lots of kittens" and reducing the number of homeless animals in Las Cruces, said Michelle Corella, who cofounded Cat's Meow in 2014.

Beginning at six-seven months old, female cats can have up to four litters of kittens a year, Corella said, and each litter typically contains two to six kittens. And because Las Cruces doesn't have harsh winters, litters are born here throughout the year.

"It's a huge problem in this community," Corella said, not only for cats and kittens, but also for dogs and puppies.

Las Cruces needs a community-wide trap-neuter-release program to deal with feral cat colonies, Corella said, and the city needs to enforce existing ordinances that regulate animal breeding and kennel licenses.

"I don't think it's getting better," she said. "There are not enough spay-neuter resources."

The nonprofit SNAP (Spay Neuter Action Pro-



LAS CRUCES BULLETIN PHOTO BY MIKE COOK
Cat's Meow Adoption Center volunteer Carol Allen is seen among cats served by the center.

gram) does a great job providing spay/neuter services for cats and dogs that have owners, Corella said, but that doesn't include feral cats.

"In 2024, SNAP issued over 2,500 vouchers for spay/neuter for companion pets of low income residents throughout Doña Ana County," SNAP Director LaVaughn Hart wrote in an email. "Over 2,100 surgeries were completed in 2024. This number represents an increase of 15 percent over our 2023 numbers. Contracts with Doña Ana County and the City of Las Cruces enable SNAP to provide these surgeries free of charge (to) income qualified resi-

dents."

Hart said SNAP is funded by donations from the public as well as grants – including a December 2024 grant from Petco Love – and contracts.

As 2025 began, The Cat's Meow was home to 90-plus cats and kittens, including strays and abandoned pets, Corella said. Another 40-50 cats are with volunteer foster families, waiting to be adopted.

The in-house population includes everything from special-needs cats – one is currently recovering from a broken hip – to the occasional exotic breed, such as a purebred Persian cat recently adopted from CMAC.

"We don't discriminate," Corella said. "We have cats coming from everywhere. It makes our work here very challenging."

The felines coexist peacefully at CHAC.

"These guys know each other very well," she said. "They're generally pretty chill."

After "a really long, difficult summer," The Cat's Meow ended 2024 with 39 adoptions in December, making it "a really great month," Corella said.

All cats and kittens that come to The Cat's Meow are spayed/neutered, vaccinated and micro-chipped, and receive other healthcare services like de-worming, she said.

"We spare no expense," Corella said.

And, even though it doesn't cover the cost of all the services CMAC provides, its adoption fee is \$70.

The Cat's Meow receives no government funding, Corella said, and relies entirely on donations and grants like the one it received from Petco Love. Donations of money, pet food, bedding, leashes and other cat needs, along with cleaning supplies, are welcome, she said, and so are volunteers and foster families.

The center hopes to buy the building it occupies at 2211 N. Mesquite St., Corella said.

"We would like to be here forever, or put ourselves out of business if

we ever get on top of spay-neuter and (cat) overpopulation," she said.

The Cat's Meow has found homes for about 3,000 cats and kittens in the past 10-plus years, and has provided spay-neuter services to about 4,000 animals, Corella said.

CMAC is open 1-4 p.m. Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday, and by appointment. Call 575-640-0011.

For more information and to see photos of and information about cats and kittens currently available for adoption at The Cat's Meow, visit TheCatsMeow-LasCruces.com. Send donations to The Cat's Meow, P.O. Box 3166, Las Cruces, NM 88003.

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Crossing party lines for public safety

Q&A WITH SEN. CRYSTAL DIAMOND BRANTLEY

ALGERNON D'AMMASSA

Las Cruces Bulletin

During her first four-year term in January, state Sen. Crystal Diamond Brantley, a Republican from Elephant Butte, had the distinction of sitting on the powerful Senate Finance Committee, with oversight over how the state budget is shaped, despite being a newcomer to the body. In an interview, she attributed this to her election as a successor to John Arthur Smith, a Democrat who was the committee's longtime chair.

Brantley has also been a prominent critic of New Mexico's beleaguered Children, Youth and Families, an advocate for transparency in administering grant funds, for education and agriculture, and for law enforcement and public safety reforms.

She begins her second term in 2025 as

a rising star in her party and a mentor for new candidates – though she pushes against that perception. With Democrats holding both chambers as well as the governor's office, she returns once more as part of a legislative minority.

She spoke with the Las Cruces Bulletin about governance as a minority member and her outlook for 2025. The 60-day legislative session begins on Jan. 21.

CDB. I want to jump right into it: We know that crime is going to be a big agenda item this session, and we know that because the governor has announced that's a priority of hers. And interesting enough, one of the biggest advocate for some of these criminal justice reforms has been the the new chief of police there in Las Cruces (Jeremy Story). He has met with us individually and gone through his legislative priori-



CRYSTAL DIAMOND BRANTLEY

ties. They look very similar to what the governor had rolled out during the (July 2024) special session.

If we get a lot of this criminal justice reform done, with Las Cruces Senator Joseph Cervantes as chair of the judiciary committee and our own Las Cruces police chief, and then with the governor, and the rest of us collectively helping, we have a big opportunity for the southern New Mexico legislators to lead the fight and try to get some of this reform passed.

Q. Do you think you can get that done in this 60-day session?

CDB. I'm hopeful. It always seems that politics poisons good policies. This doesn't seem to be a "D versus R" issue anymore. With the rampant crime rate across New Mexico, it is certainly no longer a rural-versus-urban situation. We're going to have to work across party lines and across geographic separations to come together for New Mexico. I have personal priorities that I like to champion. I'm an advocate for agriculture, there's a lot that I want done in the schools, and all of that I have to set

aside: Because what's harming us first, from addressing economic development, or how we get our schools back on top, if we don't live and work in a safe place, a safe community, surely we can agree that we've got to make our community safer. I would agree with the governor that we have to reform this broken criminal justice system, to try to make New Mexico safer, where we are the most dangerous place to live right now, with repeat offenders.

Q. Lawmakers did not take up any of the governor's public safety agenda items in the brief special session. Do you see that as the result of politics within the party, or genuine differences about policy proposals and how the governor works with lawmakers?

CDB. Politics. It's not policies. And that's what should upset voters. If the end result is making New Mexico a safer place, then we all have to get over our egos and come to the table and just get something done. I have to do it myself: I'm a conservative Republican senator who was very vocal and critical of many of the things that the governor does. But right is right, and if she wants to come forward and support many ideas that have been proposed by Republicans in the past – maybe she needs to change some things – but if she wants to come forward with proposals that I can't disagree is better than what we have, then shame on me if I wouldn't support those efforts.

Q. How do you approach governance as part of a minority, working with a Democratic majority?

CDB. I personally put a big emphasis on building respectful relationships with my colleagues, and I found that in the legislature, to get things done, the most valuable thing is to have relationships with people. We don't necessarily agree, and often do not, but (we are) respectful to one another, so that our voices are heard and and I can influence, to some degree, policy changes.

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OBITUARY

JT LINDSEY

We are sad to announce the passing of JT Lindsey on November 21, 2024. JT was born in Granite OK, son of Glen and Zell Lindsey. JT honorably served the U.S. Army, L Troop 3rd SQ, 33rd Cav. Reg. and in occupation would later spend several decades as a highly skilled



equipment mechanic. He leaves behind his wife Marcia Bardwell; His children Jamie Wofford, Brandy (Barbie), Angela (Scott) Duren, Valina (Chris)

Hamilton, Tannon (Sharla), and Arthur (Krystal); 13 grandchildren, and 2 great grandchildren. He was predeceased by his daughter Sherry Dawn, son Justin and Father Glen. A funeral of Celebration of Life will be held on Feb. 1, 2025 at Elks Lodge at 3000 Elks Dr., Las Cruces at 5 p.m.



Bicyclist killed in Alameda crash

BULLETIN REPORT

Police are investigating a fatal crash that killed a Las Cruces bicyclist on Jan. 7 but said in a news release that no charges have been filed as of yet.

The crash on N. Alameda Boulevard and Harvard Drive

killed 61-year-old Lorenzo Espinoza. Espinoza was struck by a 31-year-old man driving a 2017 Chevy Equinox. The driver, who was not identified by police, remained on scene and cooperated with the investigation, the city stated.

According to police, the 31-year-old man struck Espinoza from behind at around 7:20 p.m. as Espinoza traveled in a designated bicyclist lane on Alameda. "Alcohol and drugs do not appear to be factors in this crash," police said.

DOT issues local road grants

BULLETIN REPORT

Over \$61 million in federal dollars is set to hit the Las Cruces area for road infrastructure development.

U.S. Rep. Gabe Vasquez, D-N.M., announced the money in a news release on Jan. 10, saying the money was awarded by the U.S. Department of Transportation and will enhance road safety, improve connectivity and boost economic development.

The announcement was part of two grants—one to Las Cruces and one to Carlsbad, N.M.—totaling about \$97 million.

"Investing over \$97 million in safer roads and modernized infrastructure is key to supporting economic growth and ensuring the well-being of our communities," Vasquez said in a news release. "These projects reflect our commitment to addressing rural and underserved areas' unique needs. These in-



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U.S. Rep. Gabe Vasquez at a briefing at the federal High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area office in Las Cruces on Aug. 12, 2024.

vestments will improve daily commutes, enhance safety for workers in the energy sector and lay the foundation for future economic opportunities." The money for Las Cruces will go toward the Mesa Grande Drive extension in the city's developing East Mesa. It comes from the DOT's FY25-26 Rural Multimodal Discre-

tionary Grant Program.

In the same news release, Las Cruces Mayor Eric Enriquez thanked Vasquez for securing the grant.

"This transformative investment in the Mesa Grande Drive Extension project will enhance connectivity, promote safety, foster housing growth for our residents, and drive economic development. Congressman Vasquez's leadership continues to drive progress for Las Cruces, and we are excited to see the positive impact this project will have on our city's future. Together, we are building a brighter future for all residents, creating opportunities that will benefit generations to come," Enriquez said.

For Carlsbad, the remaining \$36,123,000 will go towards a project on NM 128 focused on improving safety and economic strength in southeastern New Mexico's energy production basin, according to the news release.



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Can governor, lawmakers agree this time?

Public safety is atop the to-do list for both Gov. Michelle Lujan Grisham and Democratic leaders in the state Legislature as they head into the final 60-day session of the governor's second term on Tuesday, Jan. 21.

But while they agree on the problem, they still appear to be just as far apart on the solutions as they were last year, when lawmakers shot down Gov. Lujan Grisham's attempt to force the issue by calling a special session.

The governor wants to crack down. She is calling for tougher sentences on crimes involving a gun, reform of the bail system to keep more people accused of violent crimes in jail before they go to trial and mandatory treatment for those found to be mentally

incompetent to stand trial.

Democrats in the House want a new state agency: The Office of the Child Advocate. We established an entire cabinet-level department in 1992 to advocate for children. The new office, which would work under the attorney general, would "help make necessary reforms at the Children, Youth and Families Department." Like more funding?

To be fair, House Democrats are calling for tougher penalties for drunk driving, human trafficking and fentanyl distribution. But there's no mention of bail reform or dealing with those found to be incompetent to stand trial.

I voted for the constitutional amendment in 2016 changing the old system because I thought cash bonds were unfair. Let's say the company CEO, mid-level manager and janitor



WALT RUBEL
The View
From Here

all get arrested for drunk driving coming home from the Christmas party. The CEO pays the bond and never notices it. The mid-level manager pays the bond but has to cancel the family vacation. The janitor goes to jail.

When I and other New Mexicans voted for that reform, we were promised there would be safeguards in place that would protect our communities from dangerous, repeat offenders being released. That

hasn't happened. I'm not advocating for a return to cash bail, but the system needs to be adjusted to ensure judges have the authority needed to keep violent and dangerous offenders in jail.

The issue of mental competency is more challenging. Our nation's sad history of abusing and neglecting those with mental illness has led to understandable and much-needed laws protecting their rights. Forced treatment of the mentally ill has led to gruesome outcomes.

But mental illness can't be a Get Out Of Jail Free card. We have to find a way to protect the community from a small number of repeat offenders who are taking up far too much time from our police of-

ficers.

The best news on this issue is that Democratic leaders are vowing to spend a fair portion of our oil-fueled budget windfall on mental health. House Democrats' priority list calls for \$200 million toward restoring our behavioral health system.

If the governor's proposed budget includes funding for mental health, she chose not to include it in the press release she sent out announcing her budget, which is expected to grow to \$10.21 billion this year. The only money she listed under public safety was for recruitment of more police and firefighters.

Walter Rubel can be reached at waltrubel@gmail.com.

Open letter to Gov. Michelle Lujan Grisham

I've never had so much hope in my elected leaders as when you sat with the citizens of Las Cruces for six hours at the July town hall meeting. I was there until the last question was asked and answered. I cried when you explained that your daughter-in-law had been violently attacked and was left with severe injuries. Hundreds of your constituents were there to support your stance on public safety that

had failed in the special legislative session that ended on the same day it began. Hundreds of your constituents were there, but not the Las Cruces mayor and not many city councilors.

I would challenge you to identify the person who posted the following on social media regarding your visit: "How

embarrassing, to be a Democratically elected and SUPPORTED Governor who is now adopting right-wing narratives rooted in disinformation and fear mongering. How embarrassing, to be such a smart leader and to still resort to the use of dog whistles to push your political agenda. How disappointing for some[one] who I



SHAWNA PFEIFFER
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used to see as a fighter now be villainizing our most vulnerable neighbors. But no, we will not allow it. We will not be quiet." And she was true to her word, immediately publishing a letter with another city leader calling the town hall a "distraction and counterproductive" and lamenting your "lack of genuine engagement with the Las Cruces City Council." She calls you "disingenuous" with a "clear track record

of disregarding and neglecting our capital outlay needs."

Do you know who wrote these things about you in your attempt to better our community? Why, you sat next to her on Wednesday in Las Cruces. In fact, she brushed a bit of lint off of your skirt before the groundbreaking ceremony on Amador Crossing. I, and several other business

New land development code will benefit Las Cruces

BETH BARDWELL
Guest columnist

As Las Cruces grows, there needs to be thoughtful planning to ensure that growth fosters prosperity and wellbeing for current and future generations. The Elevate Las Cruces Comprehensive Plan is that thoughtful plan.

Initiated in 2018 and adopted unanimously in 2020 with widespread community support, Elevate Las Cruces laid out a long-term, achievable vision for sustainable, inclusive and resilient growth.

Having adopted a shared community vision, Elevate Las Cruces prepared an action plan to implement its recommendations. One of the first actions undertaken has been a comprehensive rewrite of the city's almost half-a-century-old

development code.

Next month, the city council will vote to approve or reject the proposed changes to the land development code, called "Realize Las Cruces." Like the comprehensive plan, Realize Las Cruces involved a multi-year process with significant input from a similarly broad cross-section of our community. It is a well-balanced code and worthy of our support.

One important thing Realize Las Cruces addresses is the widely recognized housing shortage in Las Cruces. Housing costs have risen significantly, and much new construction is directed at the high-end market. If we want our families to be able to stay and prosper in Las Cruces, they need to have access to housing they can afford.

Realize Las Cruces includes

common-sense changes to the development code to remove barriers to attainable housing. It increases flexibility in development regulations so reasonably-priced housing is financially feasible for developers to build. It allows the development of "missing-middle" housing that includes accessory dwelling units, duplexes, triplexes, fourplexes, courtyard buildings and multi-family housing in a greater variety of neighborhoods.

Families and households that will benefit from more attainable housing include newlyweds, young adults entering the job market with entry level pay, essential service workers and first responders who ensure our basic quality of life, multi-generational households who provide care for grandchildren or elders, and seniors who want

to downsize but remain in the neighborhood close to family and friends. These families and households are critical to our city's future economy and quality of life.

The impact on existing established residential neighborhoods will be minimal, since the vast majority of these are already built out. Developers will continue to be able to build single family neighborhoods if that's what they and their customers want. A homeowners association restrictive covenant will continue to take precedence over the city's less stringent development code, in most cases.

Allowing greater flexibility in development makes financial sense for the city and its taxpayers. Denser land use patterns increase tax revenues that help support quality of life in all of our neighborhoods including

water and sewer lines, road maintenance and police and fire protection. There will be more opportunities for infill in the city's core, reducing sprawl and making households less car-dependent. Developers will be able to exercise more creativity in meeting residents' housing needs.

The key is for us to allow everyone more choice in how and where they choose to live, promoting economic health and well-being for our residents and their families. Let's continue to build a city that embraces all of us in a fiscally and socially responsible way. Please support the city council's adoption of the proposed land development code.

Beth Bardwell is vice president of the League of Women Voters of Southern New Mexico.

LETTER

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owners, attended a meeting held by city officials regarding this facility. We asked whether families would be prioritized for this housing, to a resounding no from the city. We were also told personally by this same person that the facility would have no rules, no "barriers" to housing. This is the antithesis of the post you made about the success of Mayfair in which "firm rules that include no drug and alcohol use are paramount to any such program's success." If you build it, they will come. Well, you sat next to a detractor of public safety – your public's safety – to build a mecca for criminals to come, and not to get better, but to continue to destroy their lives and terrorize Las Cruces.

Amador Crossing will house addicts next to those in recovery, with no incentive or requirement to better themselves. What it's worth is what it costs, and if it doesn't cost the residents anything (curfew, sobriety, seeking a job) then what is it worth to them? Give them something they have to work toward, that they can be proud of, that they'll want to hold onto so they can see what self-worth is and what a life away from substances can be.

You got to see the Amador Crossing property after the city spent days before your visit cleaning it up. The business owners and residents in that area deal with drugs, violence, threats and death daily. We know what we're in for because we've talked to the people who live and work around Desert

Hope and we know that "housing first" destroys the lives of the neighbors and saves very few of the residents.

Meanwhile, a couple weeks ago in Las Cruces, a repeat, violent offender with multiple charges around New Mexico, including assault on a peace officer, beat a grandfather (in front of his grandson) with a stick so badly that he may be in excruciating pain for the rest of his life.

I suppose we had better get used to stories like this, additional tragedies perpetrated by criminals whose rights, it seems, are elevated above those who pay taxes, abide by the law and are just trying to live productive, normal, lawful lives; stories like Jonah Hernandez's, Michael Ruiz's and your own daughter-in-law's.

SHOES IN THE NEWS



Kick starting a project

Groundbreaking ceremonies are theatrical events, and Gov. Michelle Lujan Grisham often makes a point of stepping into the dirt wearing high-heeled shoes. She continued that penchant on Jan. 8, 2025, at a groundbreaking for the Amador Crossing apartment complex in Las Cruces, wearing crimson stiletto boots coordinated with a skirt business suit, turtleneck and pendant bearing New Mexico's Zia symbol. The governor also flexed some norteño cred, doffing her overcoat for the photo op while teasing local officials who were lamenting the chilly weather.

COMING UP

Friday, January 17

- Mesilla Valley Hospice & Palliative Care presents the 3rd Annual Health & Wellness Fair, 10 a.m.-3 p.m., at Mesilla Valley Mall, 700 S. Telshor Blvd., Las Cruces. Info: 575-649-0898
- Fair Farmers Friday Evening Market, 4-9 p.m., at Plaza de Las Cruces, 100 N. Main St., Las Cruces. Info: Cassie@LasCrucesFairFarmers.com
- Mesilla Valley Contra Dance, 7:30-10:30 p.m. at Mesilla Community Center, 2251 Calle de Santiago, Mesilla. Info: 575-932-8222
- Steve Aoki, 9 p.m., at 11:11, 9740 Dyer St., El Paso. Info: DiscoPresents.com

January 17 – 19

- Mesilla Valley Balloon Rally, 7 p.m., at the Field of Dreams, 2300 Tashiro Dr., Las Cruces. Info: 575-644-9702

January 17 – 26

- Blank Conversations Theatre Company presents Jesus Christ

Superstar, 7 & 2 p.m. at the Rio Grande Theatre, 211 N. Main St., Las Cruces. Info: BlankConversations.org

January 17 – February 2

- No Strings Theatre Company presents Exit The King, 8 p.m. & 2:30 p.m., at The Black Box Theatre, 430 N. Main St., Las Cruces. Info: 575-523-1223

Saturday, January 18

- Farmers & Crafts Market of Las Cruces, 8:30 a.m.-1 p.m. at Plaza de Las Cruces, 100 N. Main St., Las Cruces. Info: 575-201-3853
- Weaving for Justice Maya Textile Sale, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. at First Christian Church atrium, 1809 El Paseo Rd., Las Cruces. Info: Weaving-For-Justice.org
- Southern New Mexico N Scalers Model Railroad Club, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. at the SNM Fairgrounds (enter through West gate), 12125 Robert Larson Blvd., Las Cruces. Info: 575-993-7078
- Extreme Dwarf Wrestling Lucha Live, 1 p.m., at Southern New Mexico State Fair & Rodeo,

12125 Robert Larson Blvd., Las Cruces. Info: Dwarfanators.com

- Girl Scouts of the Desert Southwest presents Cookies and Cocktails, 6-10 p.m., at the Las Cruces Convention Center, 680 E. University Ave., Las Cruces. Info: 575-526-0100

- John Bush and the Queen's Demise Tour, 7 p.m., at the Center for Spiritual Living, 575 N. Main St., Las Cruces. Info: 575-523-4847

- Las Cruces Symphony Orchestra's "Brahms" Concert, 7:30 p.m., at Atkinson Recital Hall, 1075 N. Horseshoe St., Las Cruces. Info: 575-646-3709

Sunday, January 19

- Piatogorsky Foundation presents Linda Rosenthal and Maxim Pakhomov, 2 p.m., at The Lighthouse, 124 Austin St., Truth or Consequences. Info: 575-740-7440
- Las Cruces Symphony Orchestra's "Brahms" Concert, 3 p.m., at Atkinson Recital Hall, 1075 N. Horseshoe St., Las Cruces. Info: 575-646-3709
- Mesilla Valley Jazz & Blues Society presents Azúcar Jazz

Combo, 3 p.m. at Alma d'Arte Charter High School, 402 W. Court Ave., Las Cruces. Info: MVJazzBlues.net

Monday, January 20

- Piatogorsky Foundation presents Linda Rosenthal and Maxim Pakhomov, 3 p.m., at Temple Beth-El, 3980 Sonoma Springs Ave., Las Cruces. Info: 575-405-1739

Tuesday, January 21

- Academy for Learning in Retirement (ALR) presents "The Good The Bad and The Ugly: How Being Best Friends With Humans is Not Always Beneficial," by Dr Gaylene Fasenko, 10:30 a.m.-noon at DACC Auditorium, Doña Ana Community College, 2800 Sonoma Ranch Blvd., Las Cruces. Info: 575-527-7509
- Author Talk with Rosemary Matos, 1:30 p.m. in the Roadrunner Room, Thomas Branigan Memorial Library, 200 E. Pícaro Ave. Info: 575-649-8786
- Circus Pop/The Giant Bubble Show, 6:30 p.m., at Albert Lyons Event Center, 2953 S. Broadway

St., Truth or Consequences. Info: 575-894-2375

Wednesday, January 22

- Circus Pop/The Giant Bubble Show, 5 & 7:30 p.m., at Albert Lyons Event Center, 2953 S. Broadway St., Truth or Consequences. Info: 575-894-2375

Thursday, January 23

- Academy for Learning in Retirement (ALR) presents "Fide Canem: The Future of the Human/Dog Relationship and What We Can Learn," by Dr Gaylene Fasenko, 10:30 a.m.-noon at DACC Auditorium, Doña Ana Community College, 2800 Sonoma Ranch Blvd., Las Cruces. Info: 575-527-7509

Ongoing Events

- Overeaters Anonymous, noon Wednesdays at St. James Episcopal Church, 102 St. James St. Hybrid meeting, available by Zoom. Info: Bob at 610-762-3779.
- Overeaters Anonymous, 9:30 a.m. Saturdays, Peace Lutheran Church, 1701 Missouri Ave. Hybrid meeting, available by Zoom. Info: Bob at 610-762-3779.
- Saturday Morning Breakfast for Veterans, 8-10 a.m. every Saturday at Deming American Legion Bataan Post 4, 619 W. Spruce St., Deming. Info: 575-546-8385
- Coffee & Donuts for Veterans, 8-11 a.m. every Monday & Wednesday at Deming American Legion Bataan Post 4, 619 W. Spruce St., Deming. Info: 575-546-8385
- Unity of Las Cruces Prayer & Meditation Circle, 7 p.m. each Wednesday via Zoom. ID 817 3441 31190. Passcode WEDSVC. Info: 575-936-3019.
- Tai Chi in the Park free introductory classes every Thursday, 9-10 a.m. at the Mesilla Park Recreation Center in the Park. Ongoing class in the traditional Yan Family Tai Chi Long Form. Information: 915-584-4730.
- Coalition of Conservatives in Action, 6-8 p.m. Thursdays at Kitchen Kraft Home, 980 N. Telshor Blvd. Info: 816-510-1105.
- Friday Nite Trivia for Veterans and guests, 6-10 p.m. at Deming American Legion Bataan Post 4, 619 W. Spruce St., Deming. Info: 575-546-8385

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Julie Andrews

OF THE SOUND OF MUSIC ON ABC



Q: It's always nice to see Julie Andrews in "The Sound of Music" on ABC around Christmas. Is it true that other actresses were considered to play Maria?

A: Though Mary Martin originated the role in the Broadway production, she didn't have the same stature in the movie world that she did in live theater, and having a bankable star for the 1965 screen version was important to 20th Century Fox after it famously had taken a major financial hit on "Cleopatra" (1963). "The Sound of Music" screenwriter Ernest Lehman was sold on Andrews from the start, and she was also the top choice of director Robert Wise, though he was reportedly also considering Grace Kelly — who had retired from acting to become Monaco's princess — and Shirley Jones.

Wise and Lehman were able to get an early look at Andrews in "Mary Poppins" (1964), and as soon as they did, they were both determined to make her

their Maria. It's said that she hesitated a bit at first, but the filmmakers' explanation of how they intended to treat the material allayed her concerns, and she made a sizable deal with Fox to star in "The Sound of Music" and another movie (the other picture turned out to be 1968's "Star!", a biography of entertainer Gertrude Lawrence that reunited Andrews with director Wise).

"The Sound of Music" was released a month before Andrews became an Oscar winner for "Mary Poppins," and that triumph became a big selling point for "Sound" as it rolled out across the country after its initial reserved-seat engagements in major cities. That, and the rest of the story, has remained motion-picture history for what now has been 60 years.

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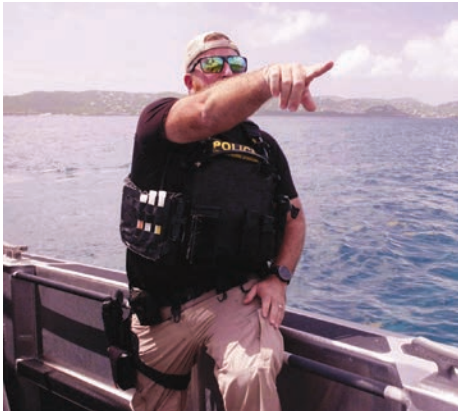
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“To Catch a Smuggler: Tropical Takedown” (Jan. 22)

Air and Marine Operations and Homeland Security Investigations work throughout the Caribbean to combat the global cocaine trade. The “Caribbean Corridor” has become a gateway for criminal networks pushing cocaine to the U.S. and Europe. This series follows AMO and HSI agents as they work to seize millions in cocaine from smugglers, and dismantle drug trafficking organizations operating in Puerto Rico and surrounding islands.

“Kiff: Lore of the Ring Light” (Jan. 22)

This special episode follows along as Kiff (Kimiko Glenn) and her friends go on an adventure to destroy a ring light of immense power. Michael Croner and Josh Johnson also voice star.

“Gifted” (Available Now)

Frank Adler (Chris Evans) is a single man raising a child prodigy — his spirited young niece Mary (Mckenna Grace) — in a coastal town in Florida. Frank’s plans for a normal school life for Mary are foiled when the seven-year-old’s mathematical abilities come to the attention of Frank’s formidable mother Evelyn (Lindsay Duncan), whose plans for her granddaughter threaten to separate Frank and Mary. Octavia Spencer and Jenny Slate also star.

“The Art of Racing in the Rain” (Available Now)

Denny Swift (Milo Ventimiglia) is a Formula 1 race car driver who understands that the techniques needed on the racetrack can also be used to successfully navigate everyday life. Besides his career, Denny has three loves of his life: his beautiful wife (Amanda Seyfried), their young daughter (Ryan Kiera Armstrong, Kacy Rink) and his best friend Enzo (voiced by Kevin Costner), who is a dog that wants to be reincarnated into a human.

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PBS-KRWG	2	22	22	Woodsm..	Woodsh..	Radical	Canvasi..	Painting	FacingWa	Parks	MotorWe..	Family	Gardener	OldHouse	OldHouse	JSchwa..	Garden	Cook	Lidia	Kitchen	Milk	Newsma..	Fronteras	
CBS-KDBC	3	4	4	LuckyDog	Extraord	Mission	Hope-Wild	NFL Champ. (N)	Basketball	Kansas State at Kansas (N) (Live)		SailGP Racing									GameTi..	CBS-Ne..	NFL (N)	
ABC-KVIA	7	7	7	News (N)		Good Morn. (N)		To Be Announced				To Be Announced				Kickoff	NFL Football Divisional Round: Teams TBA (N) (Live)						TBA	
FOX-KFOX	8	14	14	Space	Positively	Paid Prog.	Tip-Off	Basketball	Creighton at Connecticut (N)		Basketball	Xavier at Marquette (N) (Live)				To Be Announced							GoodTa..	Heroes
NBC-KTSM	9	9	9	Wild King	EarthOdy.	Play It	Wild Child	EarthOdy.	Soccer Arsenal vs. Aston Villa (N) (Live)		Goal Zone	Basketball Purdue at Oregon (N) (Live)				Chasing Gold (N)				News at 4	NBCNews		To Be Announced	
UNI-KINT	10	-	26	Atención	Atención	Franklin	Franklin	Charlie	Chamani..	Chamani..	Chamani..	Programa	Programa	Esta "Mala hierba"	El Chavo	El Chavo	El Chavo	El Chavo	Noticias	Noticiero	Fútbol	Fútbol		
TEL-KTDO	11	48	48	El viajero	El viajero	Mutual of	Harlem	Historias	✪✪ Rambo: Last Blood ('19)			Fútbol	Estados Unidos vs. Venezuela (N) (Live)			¿Qué dicen?			Acércate a Rocio	CasoCerr.	Noticias T			
UMAS-KTFN	13	759	65	Chapulín	Chapulín	Como dice el dicho		Programa	Programa	Programa	Programa	✪ Junkyard Dogs ('22) Denise Richards.			✪✪ George and the Dragon ('04)				✪ The Tunnel ('19)	Thorbjørn Harr.				
CW-KVIA2	14	17	8	Into Wild	Into Wild	Into Wild	Into Wild	Basketball	Clemson at Pittsburgh (N)		Basketball	Stanford at North Carolina (N) (Live)			MyDest.	Hollywood (N)			Housewi..	Housewi..	Last Man	Last Man		
A&E	43	118	265	Zombie Flip (N)	Lakefront	Lakefront	Oceanfr..	Oceanfr..	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage	Storage
AMC	57	131	254	(:15) ✪✪✪ Blade ('98)	Stephen Dorff, Wesley Snipes.			✪✪✪ I Am Legend ('07) Will Smith.			✪✪✪ Independence Day ('96) Bill Pullman, Will Smith.					✪✪✪ National Treasure ('04)								
COMEDY	35	107	249	Parks	Parks	Office	(:35) Office	(:10) Office	(:50) Office	(:25) The Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	✪✪✪ Ted ('12) Mila Kunis, Mark Wahlberg.							✪✪✪ Ted 2 ('15) (P)	
COOK	123	113	232	Man's "Fried"	Man's "Breakfast"	Man Fire	Man Fire	Man Fire	Man Fire	Man Fire	Man Fire	Food Paradise	Food Par. "Cookout"	Food Paradise	Food Paradise	Food Paradise	Food Paradise	Food Paradise	Iron Chef America	Iron Chef America	Iron Chef America	Iron Chef America	Iron Chef America	
DSC	47	182	278	Blind Frog Ran	Expedition	Expedition	Expedition	Expedition	Expedition	Expedition	Expedition	Expedition	Expedition	Expedition	Expedition	Expedition	Expedition	Expedition	Expedition	Expedition	Expedition	Expedition	Expedition	
E!	37	114	236	Million Dollar	Million Dollar	Million Dollar	Million Dollar	Million Dollar	Million Dollar	Million Dollar	Million Dollar	✪✪ Ace Ventura: Pet Detective ('94)			✪✪✪ The Mask ('94) Jim Carrey.				✪ Dumb & Dumber					
ESPN	27	140	206	Sunday NFL Countdown (N) (Live)				Basketball	Alabama at Kentucky (N) (Live)		ESPN Films				ESPNFil..	ESPN Original Documentaries (N)								ESPNDoc.
FOOD	40	110	231	Pioneer	Pioneer	The Kitchen (N)		Guy's	Guy's	Triple Threat	Triple Threat	Triple Threat	Triple Threat	Triple Threat	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners
FX	29	136	248	✪✪ Invincible ('06) Greg Kinnear, Mark Wahlberg.		✪✪ Real		Steel ('11) Evangeline Lilly, Hugh Jackman.			✪✪ Uncharted ('22) Mark Wahlberg, Tom Holland.					UFC 311: Prelims (N) (Live)								
GALA	25	273	404	✪ Delincuente ('85) Pedrito Fernandez.	La escuelita VIP	Hospital El Paisa	¡Qué madre tan	La jaula			Hotel todo Incluido	Me caigo de risa "Gigantón y EnAna"				✪ Por mis pistolas								
GOLF	24	401	218	PGA Tour Golf The American Express, Second Round		PGA Tour Champions Golf		Golf (N) (Live)			PGA Tour Golf The American Express, Third Round (N)					PGA Champions								
HALL	58	185	312	✪ Fourth Down and Love ('23)		✪ Holiday Touchdown: A Chiefs Love Story		✪ Falling in Love in Niagara ('24)			✪ Branching Out ('24) Sarah Drew.					✪ Raise a Glass to Love ('21)								
HGTV	41	112	229	Betting "All In"	Betting	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	"Home Away Fr..	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	
HISTORY	44	120	269	Mountain Men	Mountain Men	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	The UnXplained	
LIFE	39	108	252	LifeLock	Paid Prog.	✪ Girl in the Shed: Kidnapping ...	✪ Girl Locked Upstairs: Tanya ...	✪ Girl in the Basement ('21)			✪ Girl in the Video ('24) Cush Jumbo.				✪ Girl in the Closet ('23) Remy Ma.									
LIFEMOV	119	109	253	✪ Secret Lives of College Escorts ('22)		✪ Killing All My Sisters ('24)		✪ Her Deadly Sugar Daddy ('20)			✪ Sisters for Life ('21) Maddison Bullock.				✪ Secrets on Sorority Row ('21)									
NBTV	273	156	216	CrunchT..	GameTi..	CrunchT..	GameTi..	CrunchT..	NBAActi..	NBA TV Marquee Matchup		Ready			Ready				NBA TV Marquee Matchup				Marquee	
PAR	34	241	241	NCIS "Tell-All"	NCIS "Two-Faced"	✪✪ Major League ('89) Tom Berenger.		✪✪✪ Top Gun ('86) Kelly McGillis, Tom Cruise.			✪✪✪ Top Gun: Maverick ('22) Miles Teller, Tom Cruise.													
SYFY	59	122	244	(:00) ✪ Fantastic Be...	✪✪✪ Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone ('01) Daniel Radcliffe.			✪✪✪ Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets ('02) Daniel Radcliffe.			✪ Harry Potter & the Prisoner of Azkaban													
TBS	33	139	247	✪✪✪ Black Adam ('22) Aldis Hodge, The Rock.		✪✪✪ Guardians of the Galaxy Vol. 2 ('17) Chris Pratt.		Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	
TCM	169	132	256	(:20) ✪✪ Elephant Stampede	Movie	✪✪✪ Say Amen, Somebody ('82)		✪✪✪ High Sierra ('41)			✪✪ Whiplash ('16) Matt Damon.				(:45) ✪✪✪ Operation Crossbow ('65) Sophia Loren.									
TLC	45	183	280	Taken at Birth	Hoard-Buried	Hoard-Buried	Hoard-Buried	Last Resort			Last Resort				Last Resort				Last Resort				Baylen Out Loud	
TNT	32	138	245	✪ The Divergent Series: Insurgent (P)		(:15) ✪ The Divergent Series: Allegiant ('16) (P)		Pregame	M. Friendlies	United States vs. Venezuela					Postgame	✪✪ The Hitman's Bodyguard ('17) Ryan Reynolds.								
TRAV	49	196	277	Ghost Hunters	Ghost Hunters	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	Ghost Adventures	
TRU TV	30	242	246	World's Dumbest ...	World's Dumbest ...	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Unrivaled		Unrivaled		TBA	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	
USA	31	105	242	Premier League Soccer		Premier	College Basketball				Basketball	Saint Louis at Richmond (N)			911 Crisis	Chicago P.D.			Chicago "Retread"				Chicago P.D.	

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PBS-KRWG	2	22	22	Heartland	Weekend (N)	R. Steves	Samantha	Epic Train Journeys		Austin City Limits (N)		Caverns	Caverns	Southern Songwriters		Austin City Limits (N)	
CBS-KDBC	3	4	4	NFL Football	Divisional Round: Teams TBA (N) (Live)					To Be Announced		CBS4 News	(:35) Reporter	(:05) Bucket	(:35) National Desk		In Touch
ABC-KVIA	7	7	7	To Be Announced						ABC 7 at 6:00 Weekend (N)		ABC 7 (N)	(:35) Access Hollywood (N)	(:35) WOW - Women (N)		(:35) Kickin' It	
FOX-KFOX	8	14	14	College Basketball	St. John's at Seton Hall (N) (Live)			Big Bang	Big Bang	News (N)	(:35) Bensinger	(:05) Special "Survival"		(:05) Two Men	(:35) Two Men	(:05) Tennis	(:35) Pickleball
NBC-KTSM	9	9	9	The Wall "Larry and Lauren"		Dateline NBC		Saturday Night Live		KTSM News		Saturday Night Live (N) (Live)		(:05) Friends		To Be Announced	
UNI-KINT	10	-	26	(5:30) Fútbol Mexicano	Atlas vs. León (N) (Live)			Fútbol Mexicano	Toluca vs. Monterrey (N) (Live)			Noticias 26	Noticiero (N)	Como dice el dicho		El Chavo	El Chavo
TEL-KTDO	11	48	48	Football (N)	(:15) Fútbol Americano NFL (N) (Live)							Lo que callamos	Noticias T	Noticias	Zona mixta	Caso cerrado	Programa
UMAS-KTFN	13	759	65	Pixel	(15) Kevin James, Adam Sandler.			★★★ The Dukes of Hazzard	(05) Johnny Knoxville. (N)			Programa	Programa	★ The Tunnel	(19) Ylva Lyng	Fuglerud, Thorbjørn Harr.	
CW-KVIA2	14	17	8	Sheldon		Sheldon	★ I Am JFK Jr.	(16)		Neighbor	Neighbor	Chicago	"Care Under Fire"	Chi. Fire	"Out With a Bang"		Storm of Suspicion
A&E	43	118	265	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	Storage Wars	(:05) Storage	(:35) Storage	(:05) Storage	(:35) Storage	(:05) Storage	(:35) Storage	(:05) Storage	(:35) Storage
AMC	57	131	254	(4:00) ★★★ National Treasure	★★★ National Treasure: Book of Secrets	(07) Jon Voight, Harvey Keitel, Nicolas Cage.				★★★ The Perfect Storm	Mark Wahlberg, John C. Reilly, George Clooney.						
COMEDY	35	107	249	(5:00) ★★★ Ted 2	(15) Mark Wahlberg. (P)	★★★ Happy Gilmore	(96) Adam Sandler.			★★★ Ted	(12) Mila Kunis, Seth MacFarlane, Mark Wahlberg.					★★★ Ted 2	(15)
COOK	123	113	232	Iron Chef "Garces vs. Becker"		Iron Chef America		Iron Chef America		Iron Chef "Symon vs. Tio"		Iron Chef "Garces vs. Becker"				Iron Chef America	
DSC	47	182	278	Expedition Unknown		Expedition Unknown		Expedition Unknown		Expedition Unknown		Expedition Unknown		Expedition Unknown		Expedition Unknown	
E!	37	114	236	(5:00) ★★★ Dumb and Dumber	(94)	★★★ The Mask	(94) Cameron Diaz, Jim Carrey.			★★★ Dumb and Dumber	(94) Jeff Daniels, Lauren Holly, Jim Carrey.					★ Ace Ventura: Pet Detective	
ESPN	27	140	206	ESPN Films						SportsCenter With Scott Van Pelt	(N) (Live)	SportsCenter	(N) (Live)	SportsCenter	(N) (Live)	SportsCenter	(N) (Live)
FOOD	40	110	231	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive	Diners, Drive
FX	29	136	248	(4:00) UFC 311: Prelims	(N) (Live)			★★★ The Avengers	(12) Chris Evans, Mark Ruffalo, Robert Downey Jr..			★★★ Captain America: Civil War	(16) Chris Evans.				
GALA	25	273	404	(5:00) ★ Por mis pistolas	(68) Cantinflas.	Faisy Nights	(N)	40 y 20	40 y 20	40 y 20	40 y 20	40 y 20	40 y 20	Programa	Programa	Joint Gel	MyBladder
GOLF	24	401	218	(5:00) PGA Tour Champions Golf				Central	(N)	PGA Tour Golf	The American Express, Third Round					Golf Central	DP World Tour Golf
HALL	58	185	312	★ My Argentine Heart	(25) Julie Gonzalo. (P)			★ Love of the Irish	(25) Shenaee Grimes-Beech.			Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Golden Girls
HGTV	41	112	229	Hunters		Hunters		Hunters	(N)	Hunters	(N)	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters
HISTORY	44	120	269	The UnXplained		The UnXplained		(:05) The UnXplained		(:05) The UnXplained		(:05) The UnXplained		(:05) The UnXplained		(:05) The UnXplained	
LIFE	39	108	252	★ The Girl in the Garage: The Laura Cowan Story	(25) (P)			(:05) ★ Little Girl in the Window	(24) Mary Antonini.			★ The Girl in the Garage: The Laura Cowan Story	(25)	(:05) ★ Little Girl in the Window			
LIFEMOV	119	109	253	★ Secret Life of a Sorority Girl	(24) Jessica Morris.			★ Secrets on Greek Row	(23) Grace Patterson, Lucy Loken.			★ Secret Life of a Sorority Girl	(24) Jessica Morris.			★ Secrets on Greek Row	
NBTV	273	156	216	(5:00) NBA Marquee Matchup	NBA GameTime Live					NBA GameTime Live		GameTime	GameTime	GameTime	GameTime	GameTime	GameTime
PAR	34	241	241	★★★ Top Gun: Maverick	(22) Miles Teller, Jennifer Connelly, Tom Cruise.			★★★ Top Gun	(86) Kelly McGillis, Anthony Edwards, Tom Cruise.			(:25) ★★★ Major League	(89) Tom Berenger.				
SYFY	59	122	244	(4:00) ★ Harry Potter & the Prisoner of Azkaban	(05) Rupert Grint, Emma Watson, Daniel Radcliffe.			★★★ Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix	(07) Daniel Radcliffe.								
TBS	33	139	247	★★★ Transformers	(07) Tyrese Gibson, Josh Duhamel, Shia LaBeouf.			(:15) ★★★ Days of Thunder	(90) Robert Duvall, Tom Cruise. (P)			★★★ Into the Blue	(05) Paul Walker. (P)				
TCM	169	132	256	★★★ The Yakuza	(75) Ken Takakura, Robert Mitchum.			★★★ Raging Bull	(80) Cathy Moriarty, Robert De Niro.			(:15) ★ Without Pity	(48) John Kitzmiller, Carla Del Poggio.			★ Blonde Ice	(48)
TLC	45	183	280	My 600-Lb. Life "Supersized: Karen's Journey"	(N)			My 600-Lb. Life: Where Are They Now?	"Seana & J.T."			My 600-Lb. Life "Supersized: Karen's Journey"			600-Lb. Life "Seana & J.T."		
TNT	32	138	245	All Elite Wrestling: Collision	(N) (Live)			★★★ The Hitman's Bodyguard	(17) Ryan Reynolds.			(:15) ★★ The Hitman's Wife's Bodyguard	(21)		NCIS: N.O. "The Third Man"		
TRAV	49	196	277	Ghost Adventures		Ghost Adventures		Ghost Adventures		Ghost Adventures		Ghost Adventures		Ghost Adventures		Ghost Adventures	
TRU TV	30	242	246	Imp. Jokers	Imp. Jokers	Imp. Jokers	Imp. Jokers	Imp. Jokers	Imp. Jokers	American	American	American	American	American	American	American	American
USA	31	105	242	Chicago "Split Second"	(N)	Chicago P.D. "Survival"	(N)	Chicago P.D. (N)		Chicago P.D. "On Paper"	(N)	Chicago "Buried Pieces"	(N)	Chicago "The Water Line"	(N)	Law-SVU "Institutional Fail"	

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Emiliano Martinez of Aston Villa

Premier League Soccer KTSM 10:30 a.m.

Arsenal began the season on a tear and is still looking like a formidable challenge. But can they stop Aston Villa's Ollie Watkins who has been a scoring machine as the two teams meet in English Premier League Soccer action at Emirates Stadium in London?

My Argentine Heart HALL 6 p.m.

Starring Julie Gonzalo and Juan Pablo Di Pace, this film follows Abril (Gonzalo) back to Argentina as she tries to save her family ranch from being purchased by her ex-boyfriend, Diego (Di Pace), and slowly falls back in love with the man she missed.

The Girl in the Garage: The Laura Cowan Story LIFE 6 p.m.

When Laura's (Paige Hurd) husband Shabazz (Brad James) is arrested, she struggles to stay afloat until family friend (Stephen Bishop) offers to let her and her children stay with him and his family. But that kindness quickly turns into darkness.

Accident, Suicide, or Murder OXYGEN 6 p.m.

Unexpected deaths can often be confusing, not just for loved ones and survivors, but for the police who need to understand what happened. This episode of the hour-long series examines the death of a socialite who fall down a staircase.

My 600-Lb. Life TLC 6 p.m.

This special supersized episode features the weight-loss journey of Karen, a woman whose eating has gotten so out of control that she's completely withdrawn from the world. Although Karen seeks Dr. Now's help, how will that happen if she won't leave the house?

I Am JFK Jr. KVIA2 7 p.m.

This documentary follows the tragically short life of John F. Kennedy Jr., the youngest child of late President John F. Kennedy. As a boy, he transfigured a nation saluting the coffin of his father. Later, his good looks and charisma led to hopes for a revival.

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CBS-KDBC	3	4	4	(7:00) CB..	Face the Nation (N)	Attkisson		Basketball Illinois at Michigan State (N)				To Be Announced		To Be Announced							Bucket	CBS-Ne..	CBS4Ne..	
ABC-KVIA	7	7	7	News (N)		This Week (N)		Wildlife	Playoff			To Be Announced				Tennis Week 1 (N)		To Be Announced	oh baby!	oh baby!	News (N)	WorldNe..		
FOX-KFOX	8	14	14	Fox News (N)		Spotlight	To Be Announced					Basketball Iowa State at West Virginia (N)		To Be Announced									NFL Football	
NBC-KTSM	9	9	9	Paid Prog.	State of	Meet the Press (N)		Wm. Basketball USC at Indiana (N) (Live)				Football (N) (Live)				NFL Football Divisional Round: Teams TBA (N) (Live)							NBCNews	To Be Announced
UNI-KINT	10	-	26	Esta historia		Como dice el dicho		Chapulín	Chapulín	Chapulín	Chapulín	Cero ruido		Me caigo de risa "Ya les dije" (N)		Rosa		Rosa					Noticias	Noticiero
TEL-KTDO	11	48	48	(6:55) Fútbol		Fútbol Ipswich Town vs. Manchester City (N) (Live)		La Liga				Programa	CasoCerr.	Película									CasoCerr.	Noticias T
UMAS-KTFN	13	759	65	MundoT..	MundoT..	RangerR..	RangerR..	Programa	Programa	Programa	Programa	♣ Battledogs ('13) Dennis Haysbert.				♣♣ Falcon Rising ('14)							♣♣ Kung Fu Yoga ('17) Jackie Chan.	
CW-KVIA2	14	17	8	Paid Prog.	Destiny	Catholic Sunday		Hill (N)				Basketball Virginia at NC State (N) (Live)				RawTrav..	Athlete	Hiring	Goldber..				Conners	Conners
A&E	43	118	265	Zombie "Florene"		Zombie Flip "Killian"		Zombie Flip		PD Cam	PD Cam	PD Cam	PD Cam	Ozark Law		Ozark Law		The First 48					First 48 "Predator"	The First 48
AMC	57	131	254	(6:00) ♣ Perfect Storm		♣♣♣ The Departed ('06) Matt Damon, Leonardo DiCaprio.								♣♣♣ Shooter ('07) Michael Peña, Mark Wahlberg.									♣♣♣ Gladiator Joaquin Phoenix, Russell Crowe.	
COMEDY	35	107	249	Parks	Parks	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	♣♣♣ The Longest Yard ('05) Adam Sandler.				♣♣♣ Happy Gilmore ('96) Adam Sandler.							♣♣♣ 50 First Dates ('04)	
COOK	123	113	232	BestThing	BestThing	BestThing	BestThing	Holiday Wars				Holiday Wars		Holiday Wars		Man,Food	Man,Food	Man,Food	Man,Food	Man,Food	Man,Food	Man,Food	Man,Food	Man,Food
DSC	47	182	278	Master Distiller		Gold Rush		Gold Rush				Homestead Rescue		Homestead "Tennessee Unplugged"		Homestead Rescue							Homestead "Brown Bear-anoia" (N)	
E!	37	114	236	Below Deck		Below Deck		Below Deck				Below Deck		Below Deck		Below Deck		Below Deck					♣♣♣ My Cousin Vinny ('92) Joe Pesci.	
ESPN	27	140	206	SportCtr (N) (Live)		SportCtr (N) (Live)		Postseason NFL Countdown (N) (Live)						ESPN Films		ESPN Films							Playoff	Playoff
FOOD	40	110	231	Pioneer	Pioneer	Delicious	Delicious	Girl-Farm	Girl-Farm	Grocery		Grocery		Grocery		Grocery		Grocery					Grocery	Grocery
FX	29	136	248	♣♣ Tooth Fairy ('10) The Rock.				♣♣♣ Uncharted ('22) Mark Wahlberg, Tom Holland.				♣♣♣ Jurassic World ('15) Chris Pratt.												♣♣♣ Jurassic World: Fallen Kingdom ('18) Chris Pratt.
GALA	25	273	404	♣ Camino del Infierno ('51)				La escuelita VIP	Hospital El Paisa			¡Qué madre tan		La jaula		Hotel todo Incluido	El Chapu	El Chapu	El Chavo Animado					♣♣♣ El mago ('49)
GOLF	24	401	218	(7:00) PGA Tour Champions Golf				PGA Korn The Bahamas Great Abaco Classic, First Round (N)				Golf (N) (Live)		PGA Tour Golf The American Express, Final Round (N) (Live)										Golf Central (N)
HALL	58	185	312	(7:00) ♣ Sense, Sens..		♣ Notes of Autumn ('23) Ashley Williams.		♣ Taking a Shot at Love ('21)				♣ The Birthday Wish ('17) Jessie Schram.		♣ Falling Together ('24) Ashley Williams.										♣ My Argentine Heart
HGTV	41	112	229	The Flipping El		The Flipping El		DreamH..	DreamH..	DreamH..	DreamH..	DreamH..	DreamH..	DreamH..	DreamH..	DreamH..	DreamH..	Home Town		Home Town				Home Town
HISTORY	44	120	269	Holy Marvels-Quaid		Holy Marvels-Quaid		To Be Announced	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	Built America
LIFE	39	108	252	♣ Searching for a Serial Killer: Regina Smit..				♣ Killer Inside: Ruth Finley Story				♣ Yoga Teacher Killer: Kaitlin Armstrong S..				♣ Abducted by My Teacher: Elizabeth Tho..								♣ Movie
LIFEMOV	119	109	253	♣ He's Watching ('18) Linsey Godfrey.				♣ Picture Perfect Lies ('21) Laurie Fortier.				♣ Malicious Motives ('21)				♣ Do You Trust Your Boyfriend? ('21)								♣ Bonds Will Be Broken ('24)
NBTV	273	156	216	GameTi..	GameTi..	GameTi..	GameTi..	NBA TV Marquee Matchup				NBA G League Basketball				NBA TV Marquee Matchup								NBA TV Marquee Matchup
PAR	34	241	241	Bar Rescue		Bar Rescue		♣♣♣ Just Go With It ('11) Adam Sandler.				♣♣♣ Couples Retreat ('09) Vince Vaughn.				♣♣♣ Wedding Crashers ('05) Owen Wilson.								Movie
SYFY	59	122	244	(6:00) ♣ Fantastic Be..		♣♣♣ Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban ('04)						♣♣♣ Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire ('05) Daniel Radcliffe.				♣♣♣ Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix								
TBS	33	139	247	Friends		♣♣♣ Dune ('21) Rebecca Ferguson, Timothée Chalamet. (P)	(:45) ♣♣♣ Transformers ('07) Tyrese Gibson, Shia LaBeouf.									Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang
TCM	169	132	256	♣ Without Pity ('48)		(:45) ♣♣ The Doughgirls ('44)	(:45) ♣♣♣ The Reluctant Debutante					♣♣♣ Cabaret ('72) Joel Grey, Liza Minnelli.				♣♣♣ Seance on a Wet Afternoon								
TLC	45	183	280	Say Yes		7 Little Johnstons		7 Little Johnstons	7 Little Johnstons	Baylen Out Loud	Sister Wives		Sister Wives		Sister Wives		Sister Wives		Sister Wives				90 Day Fiancé	
TNT	32	138	245	♣♣♣ Out of Time ('03) (P)		(:15) ♣♣♣ Malcolm X ('92) Angela Bassett, Albert Hall, Denzel Washington.						♣♣♣ The Color Purple ('85) Danny Glover, Whoopi Goldberg. (P)												
TRAV	49	196	277	Most Terrifying		Most Terrifying		Finding Amelia				Osbourne- Bel.		Osbourne- Bel.		Osbourne- Bel.		Osbourne- Bel.		Osbourne- Bel.				Osbourne- Bel.
TRU TV	30	242	246	World's Dumbest ...		World's Dumbest ...		World's Dumbest ...	World's Dumbest ...	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers	Jokers
USA	31	105	242	(7:00) Soccer		Premier		Soccer Ipswich Town vs. Manchester City		Goal Zone		Basketball La Salle at Massachusetts (N)		Law-SVU "Guilt"		Law-SVU "Loss"		Law-SVU "Goliath"						Law-SVU "Blinded"

tonight's picks



Tom Durant Pritchard and Kate Phillips in a scene from "Miss Scarlet"

NFL Football
KTSM 1 p.m.
 With the wild card games behind them, it's time for the remaining teams to focus on the divisional round. Winner of today's game moves on to the conference championship next week, hoping to advance and secure a spot in February's Super Bowl LIX.

60 Minutes
KDBC 6 p.m.
 America's most-respected and most-watched newsmagazine gets to the heart of the story each week. CBS News correspondents Lesley Stahl, Scott Pelley, Anderson Cooper, Bill Whitaker, Norah O'Donnell and others cover politics, culture and more.

When Calls the Heart
HALL 7 p.m.
 Secrets are abound during this latest episode, as Elizabeth (Erin Krakow) and Nathan (Kevin McGarry) discover Oliver's (Jacob Shoemay) secret. Meanwhile, Rosemary (Pascale Hutton) is concerned that Lee (Kavan Smith) is keeping a secret from her.

Miss Scarlet
on Masterpiece
KRWG 7 p.m.
 When the chairman of the all-powerful Guild of Private Detectives is found dead, Insp. Alexander Blake (Tom Durant Pritchard), despite his protests, is tasked with working with savvy private detective Eliza Scarlet (Kate Phillips) to solve the case.

Sanctuary: A Witch's Tale
AMC 8 p.m.
 It might be time to look for a decent alibi. When magic is confirmed to have been present at the crime scene, Sarah (Elaine Cassidy) is cautioned to stay silent by Harper (Hazel Doupe) or find herself a suspect. Then, Abigail (Amy De Bhruin) wants revenge.

Lost Monster Files
TRAV 8 p.m.
 Cryptozoologist Ivan Sander-son may have died in 1973, but his research into mysterious and unexplained creatures lives on as the team looks into the latest evidence of livestock mutilations in the Great Smoky Mountains. Could a chupacabra be present?

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Table with columns for channel, time slot, and program details for Weekday Daytime. Includes shows like Lyla, Tiger, Sesame, Donkey, and various news and entertainment programs.

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	S	D	DTV	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30	12 AM	12:30
PBS-KRWG	2	22	22	(5:30) PBSNews	Context	Antiques Roadshow (N)	Antiques "Filoli Hour 3"	John Lewis-Get	BBC News	Amanpour and Company (N)	Firing-Hoover	PBS News Hour					
CBS-KDBC	3	4	4	Jeopardy! (N)	Wheel (N)	Neighbor	Poppa's	NCIS "Out of Control"	NCIS-Orig. "Vivo o Muerto"	ARC (N)	(:35) Late Show-Colbert (N)	(:35) After Midnight (N)	(:35) Paid Prog.				
ABC-KVIA	7	7	7	News (N)	ET (N)	To Be Announced	Inauguration-Trump (N)	To Be Announced	News (N)	(:35) Jimmy Kimmel Live! (N)	(:35) Nightline	(:05) ET (N)	(:35) Hollywood				
FOX-KFOX	8	14	14	Big Bang	Big Bang	9-1-1: Lone Star (N)	Rescue: HI-Surf (N)	KFOX14 News at Nine (N)	(:05) Inside Ed.	(:35) Extra (N)	(:05) iCRIME	(:35) Crime	(:05) True Crime	(:35) Two Men			
NBC-KTSM	9	9	9	KTSM 9 News at 6 (N)	To Be Announced				KTSM News	(:35) Tonight Show (N)	(:35) Seth Meyers (N)	(:35) Friends					
UNI-KINT	10	-	26	La rosa de Guadalupe (N)	Fugitivas "Gran final" (N)	de la señora García (N)	C.D.I. Código de	Noticias 26	SaborDe	C.D.I. Código de	de la señora García						
TEL-KTDO	11	48	48	Exatlón Estados Unidos: All-Stars			El regreso de Trump	Noticiero	(:35) Noticias	Sed de venganza	Caso cerrado						
UMAS-KTFN	13	759	65	Vence a las estrellas (N) (P)	Enamorándonos (N) (Live)		Pecado original (N)	Vence a las estrellas	Pecado original		Chapulín	Chapulín					
CW-KVIA2	14	17	8	Sheldon	News	I Am MLK Jr.	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Sheldon	News	(:05) GMFB: Overtime (N)	(:05) Court Cam	(:35) PawnStars				
A&E	43	118	265	Live PD	Live PD	Live PD	Live PD	Live PD	(:05) Live PD	(:35) Live PD	(:05) Live PD	(:35) Live PD	(:05) Live PD	(:35) Live PD	(:05) Live PD	(:35) Live PD	
AMC	57	131	254	(4:30) **** Ghostbusters	*** Ghostbusters II ('89) Dan Aykroyd, Sigourney Weaver, Bill Murray.	*** Weekend at Bernie's ('89) Andrew McCarthy.	*** Police Academy 2: Their First Assignment										
COMEDY	35	107	249	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office
COOK	123	113	232	Delicious	Delicious	Bizarre	Bizarre	Bizarre	Zimmern	Zimmern	Delicious	Delicious	Bizarre	Bizarre	Bizarre	Bizarre	Bizarre
DSC	47	182	278	Contraband: Seized	Contraband: Seized (N)	Contraband "The Rookies"	Contraband: Seized	Contraband: Seized	Contraband: Seized	Contraband: Seized	Contraband "Catch 'Em All"	Contraband "The Rookies"					
E!	37	114	236	(5:30) ** 10 Things I Hate About You ('99)	** Never Been Kissed ('99) David Arquette, Drew Barrymore.	** 10 Things I Hate About You ('99) Heath Ledger.	E! News	E! True									
ESPN	27	140	206	(5:00) CFP National Championship Teams TBA From Mercedes-Benz Stadium in Atlanta. (N) (Live)	SportsCenter With Scott Van Pelt (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)										
FOOD	40	110	231	Kids Baking (N)	Chopped	Chopped	Chopped	Kids Baking Championship	Chopped								
FX	29	136	248	(5:00) **** Green Book ('18) Viggo Mortensen.	**** The Help ('11) Emma Stone, Bryce Dallas Howard, Viola Davis.	**** The Help ('11) Viola Davis.											
GALA	25	273	404	Una familia de diez	Nosotros los guapos	Vecinos	40 y 20	40 y 20	Renta	Renta	Alma de	Alma de	Simón dice	Simón dice			
GOLF	24	401	218	unCOMMON	unCOMMON	PGA Tour Golf The American Express, Final Round	PGA Tour Golf The American Express, Final Round										
HALL	58	185	312	** Snowkissed ('21) Chris McNally, Amy Poehler, Jen Lilley.	** Frozen in Love ('18) Niall Matter, Rachael Leigh Cook.	** A Royal Winter ('17) Jack Donnelly, Merritt Patterson.	** Hearts of Winter ('20)										
HGTV	41	112	229	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Dream Home	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Dream Home	Dream Home	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l
HISTORY	44	120	269	History's Greatest Mysteries	History's Greatest Mysteries	(:05) History's-Mysteries	(:05) History's-Mysteries	(:05) History's-Mysteries	(:05) History's-Mysteries	(:05) History's-Mysteries	(:05) History's-Mysteries	(:05) History's-Mysteries	(:05) History's-Mysteries	(:05) History's-Mysteries	(:05) History's-Mysteries	(:05) History's-Mysteries	(:05) History's-Mysteries
LIFE	39	108	252	The Rookie	The Rookie "Redwood"	(:05) The Rookie "Heartbreak"	(:05) The Rookie	The Rookie	The Rookie	The Rookie "Redwood"	(:05) The Rookie "Heartbreak"	(:05) The Rookie					
LIFEMOV	119	109	253	** Smart Home Killer ('23) Anwen O'Driscoll, Natalie Brown.	** There's a New Killer in Town ('24) Kathryn Kohut.	** Smart Home Killer ('23) Anwen O'Driscoll, Natalie Brown.	** There's a New Killer in Town ('24) Kathryn Kohut.										
NBTV	273	156	216	(5:00) Magic & Bird	The Dream Team	Basketball Stories	Iceman: A George Gervin Story	Bad Boys	Basketball								
PAR	34	241	241	**** Raiders of the Lost Ark ('81) Karen Allen, Harrison Ford.	**** Indiana Jones and the Last Crusade ('89) Sean Connery, Harrison Ford.	** Indiana Jones and the Temple of Doom											
SYFY	59	122	244	(5:00) **** Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows: Part 1	(:05) **** Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows: Part 2 ('11) Daniel Radcliffe.	(:05) ** The Wolf of Snow Hollow ('20) Jim Cummings.											
TBS	33	139	247	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	American (N)	American	American	American	American	American	American	American	American	American	American
TCM	169	132	256	** Nationtime ('72)	Movie	(:15) **** Boycott ('01) Terrence Howard, Jeffrey Wright.	(:15) **** In the Heat of the Night ('67) Sidney Poitier.	(:15) ** Freedom on My Mind									
TLC	45	183	280	90 Day: The Last Resort (N)	(:05) Baylen Out Loud (N)	(:05) Last Resort (N)	(:05) Sister Wives	90 Day: The Last Resort	(:05) Baylen Out Loud	(:05) 90 Day: The Last Resort	(:05) 90 Day: The Last Resort						
TNT	32	138	245	Unrivaled (N)	Unrivaled Basketball	Unrivaled Basketball	**** King Richard ('21) Anjanue Ellis-Taylor, Jon Bernthal, Will Smith.	NBA Basketball									
TRAV	49	196	277	Mysteries of the Unknown (N)	Mysteries of the Unknown	Mysteries of the Unknown	Mysteries of the Unknown										
TRU TV	30	242	246	Unrivaled (N)	Unrivaled Basketball	Unrivaled Basketball	Unrivaled (N)	** Major League II ('94) Tom Berenger, Charlie Sheen.	(:15) Evolve &	(:45) ** Major League II ('94) Charlie Sheen.							
USA	31	105	242	Chi. Fire "Call Me McHolland"	Chicago Fire "Trapped"	Chi. Fire "The Little Things"	Chicago Fire "On the Hook"	Chicago Fire "All the Dark"	Chicago Fire "Run Like Hell"	Chi. Fire "Damage Control"							

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Colin Dooley and Baylen Dupree in "Baylen Out Loud"

CFP National Championship
ESPN 5 p.m.
ESPN2 ESPNU 5:45 p.m.

After a season and playoffs full of twists and turns, it all comes down to this one game to determine who the best team in college football is for 2024. The winners of the Orange and Cotton Bowl meet at Mercedes-Benz Stadium in Atlanta for this big game.

Kids Baking Championship
FOOD 6 p.m.

Hosts and judges Duff Goldman and Kardea Brown challenge

the remaining children to create "Dog Man" cakes, inspired by the animated movie. The bakers are tasked with incorporating bacon, an ingredient all dogs and most humans love.

Mysteries of the Unknown
TRAV 6 p.m.

Host Don Wildman is working on some chills as he looks for answers to the woolly mammoth population that existed for thousands of years on Wrangel Island off the coast of Siberia. He, then, takes on the legend of the Ice King and the secret of stardust.

Unrivaled Basketball
TNT TRU TV 6:30 p.m.

If you think pro basketball needs fewer players on the court at any given time, the Unrivaled women's basketball 3-on-3 league, co-founded by WNBA players Napheesa Collier and Breanna Stewart, has the action you're looking for. The game broadcasts live from Miami.

Antiques Roadshow
KRWG 7 p.m.

The Roadshow finds itself at the Crystal Bridges Museum of American Art in Bentonville,

Ark., and discovers such rare treasures as a 1956 Curta calculator type II, an 1857 Queen's Cup ascot race trophy and an art deco sapphire and platinum ring.

Baylen Out Loud
TLC 7:05 p.m.

Baylen must confront what Colin's work relocation could mean for the future of their relationship during the latest episode of this brand-new reality series. Later on, Baylen is invited to a Tourette's Convention in Dallas. However, flying can be difficult for her.

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PBS-KRWG	2	22	22	(5:30) PBSNews	Context	Finding Your Roots (N)	Investigates (N)	Frontline (N)	BBC News	Amanpour and Company (N)	History	PBS News Hour					
CBS-KDBC	3	4	4	Jeopardy! (N)	Wheel (N)	FBI "Doubted"	FBI: International	FBI-Wanted "Radio Silence"	ARC (N)	(:35) Late Show-Colbert (N)	(:35) After Midnight (N)	(:35) Paid Prog.					
ABC-KVIA	7	7	7	News (N)	ET (N)	Will Trent (N)	High Potential (N)	The Rookie (N)	News (N)	(:35) Jimmy Kimmel Live! (N)	(:35) Nightline	(:05) ET	(:35) Hollywood				
FOX-KFOX	8	14	14	Big Bang	Big Bang	Kitchen Nightmares (N)	Doc (N)	KFOX14 News at Nine (N)	(:05) Inside Ed.	(:35) Extra (N)	(:05) iCRIME	(:35) Crime	(:05) True Crime	(:35) Two Men			
NBC-KTSM	9	9	9	KTSM 9 News at 6 (N)	St. Denis (N)	Night (N)	Deal or No Deal Island (N)	Irrational "Now You Don't" (N)	KTSM News	(:35) Tonight Show (N)	(:35) Seth Meyers (N)	(:35) Friends					
UNI-KINT	10	-	26	Rosa "Sin nombre"	Papás por conveniencia	C.D.I. Código de	Noticias 26	SaborDe	C.D.I. Código de	Papás por conveniencia							
TEL-KTDO	11	48	48	Exatlón Estados Unidos: All-Stars	La familia	Noticiero	(:35) Noticias	Sed de venganza	Caso cerrado								
UMAS-KTFN	13	759	65	Vence a las estrellas (N)	Enamorándonos (N) (Live)	Pecado original (N)	Vence a las estrellas	Pecado original	Chapulín	Chapulín							
CW-KVIA2	14	17	8	WWE NXT (N)	Sheldon	News	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Sheldon	News	(:05) GMFB: Overtime (N)	(:05) Court Cam	(:35) PawnStars				
A&E	43	118	265	Road Wars	Road Wars	Road Wars	Road Wars	Road Wars	(:05) Road Wars	(:35) Road Wars	(:05) Road Wars	(:35) Road Wars	(:05) Road Wars	(:35) Road Wars	(:05) Road Wars	(:35) Road Wars	(:35) Road Wars
AMC	57	131	254	*** The Matrix '99	Laurence Fishburne, Carrie-Anne Moss, Keanu Reeves.	** The Replacements	Gene Hackman, Orlando Jones, Keanu Reeves.	(:45) *** The Matrix Reloaded '03									
COMEDY	35	107	249	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Daily Show	Family Guy
COOK	123	113	232	Man v. Food	Man v. Food	Richman (N)	Richman	No Reservation "Egypt"	No Reservation	Man v. Food	Man v. Food	Richman	Richman	Richman	Richman	No Reservation "Egypt"	
DSC	47	182	278	Moonshiners	"Smokin' Barrels" (N)	Moonshiners	Master Distiller	Moonshiners	"Smokin' Barrels"	Moonshiners							
E!	37	114	236	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	E! News (N)	Botched
ESPN	27	140	206	(5:00) TGL Golf	College Basketball	North Carolina at Wake Forest (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)	SportsCenter (N) (Live)				
FOOD	40	110	231	Chopped (N)	Wildcard Kitchen (N)	Kitchen "Three of a Kind"	Chopped	Kitchen "James Beard Brawl"	Kitchen "Three of a Kind"	Chopped							
FX	29	136	248	(5:30) *** Free Guy '21	Jodie Comer, Ryan Reynolds.	** Gone in 60 Seconds	Angelina Jolie, Giovanni Ribisi, Nicolas Cage.	** Bad Boys for Life '20	Martin Lawrence, Will Smith.								
GALA	25	273	404	Una familia de diez	Nosotros los guapos	Vecinos	40 y 20	40 y 20	Renta	Renta	Alma de	Alma de	Alma de	Alma de	Alma de	Alma de	Alma de
GOLF	24	401	218	(5:30) GOLFFIL.	GOLF Films	Jack - Pinnacle	Golf Central	PGA Korn Ferry Tour Golf	The Bahamas	Great Abaco Classic, Third Round	Golf Central	PGA TOUR					
HALL	58	185	312	** The Finnish Line '24	Kim Matula, Nichole Sakura.	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier
HGTV	41	112	229	Fixer to Fabulous	Betting on Paradise (N)	Hunt Intl (N)	Hunt Intl (N)	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Betting "Deep End Dilemma"	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l	Hunters Int'l
HISTORY	44	120	269	The Curse of Oak Island	The Curse of Oak Island (N)	(:05) Tales From Oa (N)	(:05) Tales From Oa (N)	(:05) The Curse of Oak Island	Oak Island "Brick by Brick"	(:05) Tales "Hedden's Hunt"							
LIFE	39	108	252	Married at First Sight "I Just Wanna Eat You Up" (N)	(:35) Married "I Just Wanna Eat You Up"	Married at First Sight "I Just Wanna Eat You Up"	(:35) Married	Married at First Sight "I Just Wanna Eat You Up"	(:35) Married								
LIFEMOV	119	109	253	** How She Caught a Killer '23	Sarah Drew.	** Buying Back My Daughter '23	Meagan Good.	** How She Caught a Killer '23	Sarah Drew.	** Buying Back My Daughter '23	Sarah Drew.	** Buying Back My Daughter '23	Sarah Drew.				
NBTV	273	156	216	(5:00) Hardwood Classics	High Tops	Hardwood Classics	NBA TV Marquee Matchup	Marquee Matchup 01/20	NBA TV Marquee Matchup	Marquee Matchup 01/20	NBA TV Marquee Matchup	Marquee Matchup 01/20	NBA TV Marquee Matchup	Marquee Matchup 01/20	NBA TV Marquee Matchup	Marquee Matchup 01/20	NBA TV Marquee Matchup
PAR	34	241	241	*** Grumpy Old Men '93	Walter Matthau, Ann-Margret, Jack Lemmon.	*** Grumpier Old Men '95	Walter Matthau, Ann-Margret, Jack Lemmon.	*** Grumpy Old Men '93	Walter Matthau, Jack Lemmon.	*** Grumpy Old Men '93	Walter Matthau, Jack Lemmon.	*** Grumpy Old Men '93	Walter Matthau, Jack Lemmon.				
SYFY	59	122	244	Movie	Wrath of Man '21	Holt McCallany, Jason Statham.	(:20) *** Mortal Combat '95	Linden Ashby, Robin Shou.	*** Ace Ventura: When Nature Calls '95								
TBS	33	139	247	Big Bang	Big Bang	The Joe Sc (N) (P)	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.
TCM	169	132	256	** Background to Danger '43	** Johnny Angel '45	George Raft.	*** Nocturne '46	George Raft.	(:45) ** Race Street '48	George Raft.	** Around the World in 80 Days						
TLC	45	183	280	7 Little Johnstons (N)	7 Little Johnstons (N)	Baylen Out Loud (N)	90 Day: The Last Resort	7 Little Johnstons	7 Little Johnstons	7 Little Johnstons	7 Little Johnstons	7 Little Johnstons	7 Little Johnstons	7 Little Johnstons	7 Little Johnstons	7 Little Johnstons	7 Little Johnstons
TNT	32	138	245	(5:30) Basketball	New York Knicks at Brooklyn Nets (N) (Live)	NBA Basketball	Philadelphia 76ers at Denver Nuggets (N) (Live)	NBA on TNT Postgame	Basketball	New York Knicks at Brooklyn Nets							
TRAV	49	196	277	Portals "Haunted Hill House"	Portals to Hell	Portals "Hotel Monte Vista"	Portals "Cary House Hotel"	Portals "Haunted Hill House"	Portals to Hell	Portals "Hotel Monte Vista"							
TRU TV	30	242	246	(5:30) Basketball	New York Knicks at Brooklyn Nets (N) (Live)	NBA Basketball	Philadelphia 76ers at Denver Nuggets (N) (Live)	Inside the NBA (N) (Live)	Up & Adams	Imp. Jokers							
USA	31	105	242	Law & Order: SVU "Missing"	Law-SVU "The Good Girl"	Law-SVU "Assumptions"	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU

tonight's picks



Gordon Ramsay hosts "Kitchen Nightmares"

Kitchen Nightmares

KFOX 7 p.m.

What makes a good restaurant go bad? Everything from fiscal issues to a general malaise can make any establishment falter. But chef Gordon Ramsay knows how to turn even the saddest of places around thanks to retraining, redecorating and revitalizing.

Finding Your Roots With Henry Louis Gates, Jr.

KRWG 7 p.m.

Wordsmiths find a way to say what the rest of the world fails to imagine. But even such mas-

ters as novelist Amy Tan and poet Rita Dove are speechless when they find their ancestry traveling across China and the American South with Henry Louis Gates Jr.

St. Denis Medical

KTSM 7 p.m.

Relationships take center stage during this latest episode. First, Joyce (Wendi McLendon-Covey) realizes she's out of the loop on workplace gossip after an "intimacy in the workplace" discussion. Meanwhile, Bruce (Josh Lawson) is upset over a new policy.

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What's Available **NOW** On **NETFLIX**



“Gabriel Iglesias: Legend of Fluffy” (Available Now)

In his 27th year in comedy, Gabriel “Fluffy” Iglesias reminisces on the perils of life: from dating, to home break-ins, to turbulent plane rides, Gabriel is just here to save the world from eternal seriousness.



“With Love, Meghan” - Season 1 (Available Now)

This inspiring series, produced by Meghan, Duchess of Sussex, reimagines the genre of lifestyle programming, blending practical how-tos and candid conversation with friends, new and old. Meghan shares personal tips and tricks, embracing playfulness over perfection and highlights how easy it can be to create beauty, even in the unexpected. She and her guests roll up their sleeves in the kitchen, the garden and beyond, and invite you to do the same. This season's guests include Roy Choi, Mindy Kaling and Alice Waters, among additional acclaimed chefs and special friends.



“W.A.G.s to Riches” - Season 1 (Jan. 22)

This new docu-soap takes viewers inside the high-stakes world of ambitious women in Miami, connected to the city's most elite athletes, musicians, and power players. It follows a bold group of women who are breaking the mold and building empires of their own, balancing thriving careers, motherhood, and high-profile relationships — all while dealing with the glamour and drama that come with their affluent lives. These women are out to prove they're more than just the trophies behind the men, with some even out-earning their famous male counterparts.



“Castlevania: Nocturne” - Season 2 (Available Now)

Now joined by the legendary Alucard in Season 2 of this anime series, Richter Belmont and his band of vampire hunters are in a desperate race against time. Erzsebet Bathory, the Vampire Messiah, who already seems invincible, seeks the full power of the goddess Sekhmet so she can plunge the world into endless darkness and terror.



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“Paradise” (Hulu — Jan. 28, Series Premiere)

A thriller set in a peaceful community, this series follows the lives of some of the world's most prominent individuals. But, the thin veil of tranquility explodes when a shocking murder occurs, leading to a high-stakes investigation. Sterling K. Brown, Julianne Nicholson, James Marsden, Sarah Shahi, Nicole Brydon Bloom, Aliyah Mastin and Percy Daggs IV star.



“Mythic Quest” - Season 4 (Apple TV+ — Jan. 29, Season Premiere)

Back under the same florescent office lights, the reunited team at Mythic Quest confronts new challenges amongst a changing video game landscape as stars rise, egos clash, relationships bloom and everyone tries to have a little more “work work” life balance. Rob McElhenney, Charlotte Nicdao, David Hornsby, Danny Pudi, Ashly Burch, Imani Hakim, Jessie Ennis and Naomi Ekperigin star.

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	S	D	DTV	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30	12 AM	12:30	
PBS-KRWG	2	22	22	(5:30) PBSNews Context		Nature (N)		NOVA (N) (SP)		Secrets "World War Speed"		BBC News	Amanpour and Company (N)	School		PBS News Hour		
CBS-KDBC	3	4	4	Jeopardy! (N)	Wheel (N)	Price Is Right (N)		Raid the Cage (N)		Elsbeth		ARC (N)	(:35) Late Show-Colbert (N)	(:35) After Midnight (N)		(:35) Paid Prog.		
ABC-KVIA	7	7	7	News (N)	ET (N)	Shifting (N)	Abbott (N)	Celebrity Jeopardy! (N)		What Would You Do? (N)		News (N)	(:35) Jimmy Kimmel Live! (N)	(:35) Nightline	(:05) ET		(:35) Hollywood	
FOX-KFOX	8	14	14	Big Bang	Big Bang	Special Forces: World's Toughest Test (N)		KFOX14 News at Nine (N)		(:05) Inside Ed.	(:35) Extra (N)	(:05) iCRIME	(:35) Crime	(:05) True Crime	(:35) Two Men			
NBC-KTSM	9	9	9	KTSM 9 News at 6 (N)		Chicago Med (N)		Chicago Fire (N)		Chicago P.D. "Marie" (N)		KTSM News	(:35) Tonight Show (N)	(:35) Seth Meyers (N)				
UNI-KINT	10	-	26	Rosa "El segundo cielo"		Papás por conveniencia		de la señora García (N)		C.D.I. Código de		Noticias 26	SaborDe	C.D.I. Código de		Las hijas "El dolor no existe"		
TEL-KTDO	11	48	48	Exatlón Estados Unidos: All-Stars						La familia		Noticiero	(:35) Noticias	Sed de venganza		Caso cerrado		
UMAS-KTFN	13	759	65	Vence a las estrellas		Enamorándonos (N) (Live)				Pecado original (N)		Vence a las estrellas		Pecado original		Chapulín	Chapulín	
CW-KVIA2	14	17	8	Sheldon	News			Inside the NFL Week 20 (N)		Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Sheldon	News	(:05) GMFB: Overtime (N)	(:05) Court Cam	(:35) PawnStars		
A&E	43	118	265	PD Cam (N)	PD Cam (N)	Florida (N)	Florida (N)	Ozark Law (N)		(:05) PD Cam	(:35) PD Cam	(:05) PD Cam	(:35) PD Cam	(:05) Florida	(:35) Florida	(:05) Ozark Law		
AMC	57	131	254	★★★★ The Shawshank Redemption ('94) Morgan Freeman, Bob Gunton, Tim Robbins.				★★★★ Moneyball ('11) Jonah Hill, Philip Seymour Hoffman, Brad Pitt.									Fear the Walking "The Key"	
COMEDY	35	107	249	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Family Guy	Daily Show	Family Guy
COOK	123	113	232	Holiday Baking		Baking "A Classic Christmas"		Holiday Baking "Christmas Windows in Time"				Holiday Baking		Baking "A Classic Christmas"		Holiday Baking		
DSC	47	182	278	Expedition X		Expedition X (N)		Expedition Bigfoot (N)		Lost Monster Files		Expedition X		Expedition X		Expedition Bigfoot		
E!	37	114	236	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	The Office	El News (N)	Sex-City	
ESPN	27	140	206	(5:30) NBA Basketball				(:05) NBA Basketball Golden State Warriors at Sacramento Kings (N) (Live)		(:35) SportsCenter (N) (Live)		SportsCenter (N) (Live)		SportsCenter (N) (Live)		SportCtr (N)		
FOOD	40	110	231	Guy's Grocery Games		Guy's Grocery Games (N)		Grocery "Guy's Trivia Games"		Wildcard Kitchen		Grocery "All-Star All Swap"		Grocery "Guy's Trivia Games"		Wildcard Kitchen		
FX	29	136	248	(5:30) ★★★ Transformers: The Last Knight ('17) Anthony Hopkins, Mark Wahlberg.				★★★ Guardians of the Galaxy ('14) Zoe Saldana, Chris Pratt.								★★★ Guardians of the Galaxy ('14)		
GALA	25	273	404	Una familia de diez		Nosotros los guapos		Vecinos		40 y 20	40 y 20	Renta	Renta	Alma de	Alma de	Simón dice	Simón dice	
GOLF	24	401	218	PGA Tour Golf Farmers Insurance Open, First Round From Torrey Pines South Course in San Diego.				Golf Central				PGA Korn The Bahamas Great Abaco Classic, Final Round		Golf Central				
HALL	58	185	312	★ My Argentine Heart ('25) Julie Gonzalo.		Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	Frasier	
HGTV	41	112	229	Mexico Life	Mexico Life	Mexico Life	Mexico Life	Hunters (N)	Hunters (N)	Hunters	Hunters	Mexico Life	Mexico Life	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	Hunters	
HISTORY	44	120	269	Pawn Stars		Pawn Stars (N) (SP)		(:05) Pawn Stars		(:05) Pawn Stars		(:05) Pawn Stars		(:05) Pawn Stars		(:05) Pawn Stars		
LIFE	39	108	252	Castle "Eye of the Beholder"		Castle "Demons"		(:05) Castle "Cops & Robbers"		(:05) Castle "Heartbreak Hotel"		Castle "Eye of the Beholder"		Castle "Demons"		(:05) Castle "Cops & Robbers"		
LIFEMOV	119	109	253	★ Million Dollar Lethal Listing ('24) Morgan Bradley.				★ Boy in the Walls ('23) Ryan Michelle Bathe.				★ Million Dollar Lethal Listing ('24) Morgan Bradley.				★ Boy in the Walls ('23)		
NBTV	273	156	216	(5:00) Hardwood Classics		NBA CrunchTime		NBA GameTime Live						GameTime	GameTime	GameTime		
PAR	34	241	241	★★★ Grumpier Old Men ('95) Walter Matthau, Ann-Margret, Jack Lemmon.				★★★ Tommy Boy ('95) David Spade, Brian Dennehy, Chris Farley.						★★★ Major League ('89) Charlie Sheen, Tom Berenger.				
SYFY	59	122	244	(5:30) ★★★ The Magnificent Seven ('16) Chris Pratt, Denzel Washington.				★★★ Olympus Has Fallen ('13) Aaron Eckhart, Gerard Butler.						★★ Mortal Kombat Annihilation ('97) Robin Shou.				
TBS	33	139	247	All Elite Wrestling: Dynamite (N) (Live)				The Joe Schmo Show		Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	Modern Fam.	
TCM	169	132	256	★★★★ The Man Who Knew Too Much		★★★★★ The 39 Steps ('35) Robert Donat.		★★★★ Sabotage ('36) Sylvia Sydney.		★★★★★ Young and Innocent ('37)		★★★★★ The Lady Vanishes						
TLC	45	183	280	My 600-Lb. Life "Gary's Journey" (N)				My 600-Lb. Life "Delana's Journey"				My 600-Lb. Life "Gary's Journey"				My 600-Lb "Delana's Journey"		
TNT	32	138	245	(5:00) M. Friendlies		Postgame	NHL on TNT	NHL Hockey Florida Panthers at Los Angeles Kings (N) (Live)						Post-Game	★★★ Captain Marvel ('19) Brie Larson.			
TRAV	49	196	277	Paranormal Caught on Cam.		Paranormal Caught on Cam.		Paranormal Caught on Cam.		Paranormal Caught on Cam.		Paranormal Caught on Cam.		Paranormal Caught on Cam.		Paranormal Caught on Cam.		
TRU TV	30	242	246	(5:00) M. Friendlies		Postgame	NHL on TNT	NHL Hockey Florida Panthers at Los Angeles Kings (N) (Live)						Post-Game	Up & Adams		Imp. Jokers	
USA	31	105	242	Law & Order: SVU "Intent"		Law-SVU "Gone Baby Gone"		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law-SVU "Bad Blood"		

tonight's picks



Denise Richards competes in "Special Forces: World's Toughest Test"

Pawn Stars
HISTORY 7 p.m.

The father-son duo of Rick and Corey Harrison are back in this Season 23 premiere as they continue to own and operate the only family-owned pawnshop in Las Vegas. With years of knowledge and a team of experts, it's as if "Antiques Roadshow" knew a guy.

Special Forces:
World's Toughest Test
KFOX 7 p.m.

Season 3 of the biggest mistake these celebrities have ever made finds famous faces such as Denise Richards, Stephen Baldwin, Cam Newton, Carey Hart and Brody Jenner being run through an intense gauntlet by ex-special force operatives.

Nature
KRWG 7 p.m.

The entire world may seem like it is getting smaller every day, but for the big cats, it really is. Narrator David Oyelowo looks at lion, leopard and cheetah parents on the shores of Botswana's Gomoti River as they try to raise their young side by side.

Raid the Cage
KDBC 8 p.m.

"Grab it and go" is the mantra of choice as co-hosts Damon Wayans Jr. and Jeannie Mai direct two teams to answer trivia questions correctly and earn time in the titular cage. Teams that answer more correct answers get extra time to grab the good stuff.

Celebrity Jeopardy!
KVIA 8 p.m.

Season 3 of everyone's favorite celebrity trivia competition continues, as host Ken Jennings invites Rachel Brosnahan, Seth Green and Margaret Cho to try and make it all the way to the championship round and earn money for charity.

Chicago P.D.
KTSM 9 p.m.

The second half of Season 12 continues with this brand-new episode, leading the Chicago P.D.'s Intelligence Unit through a slate of high-stakes cases. Led by Sgt. Hank Voight (Jason Beghe), the team includes Kim Burgess (Marina Squerciati) and more.

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Table with columns for channel, time, and program details. Includes shows like Jeopardy!, Wheel, Extreme Makeover, and various news programs.

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tonight's picks



Clea Shearer from "Extreme Makeover: Home Edition"

Extreme Makeover: Home Edition KVIA 7 p.m.

This reboot of the famed series finds home experts Clea Shearer and Joanna Teplin looking to help families in need by rethinking and redesigning their existing homes to meet their current needs with the help of a team of builders and contractors.

Animal Control KFOX 8 p.m.

Animal control workers say the darndest things. Former cop Frank Shaw (Joel McHale) might be living in his own bizarre world, but, along with his team of eccentric animal control officers, it seems the people are the ones who need controlling.

C.B. Strike HBO 10 p.m.

Season 4 begins with the first half of a two-part episode. Cormoran Strike (Tom Burke) and Robin Ellacott (Holliday Grainger) find themselves at odds following Robin and Matthew's (Kerr Logan) wedding, but must put all aside for a client.

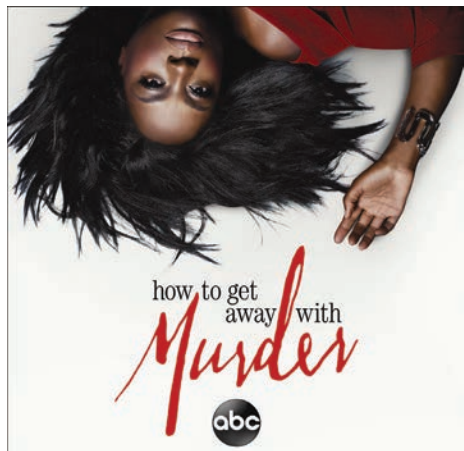
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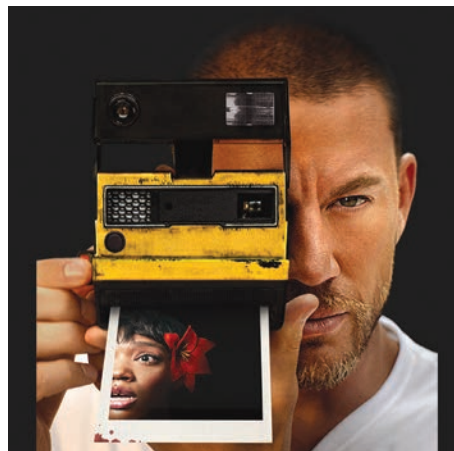
"How to Get Away with Murder" - Complete Series (Available Now)

A sexy, suspense-driven legal thriller about a group of ambitious law students and their brilliant, mysterious criminal defense professor. They become entangled in a murder plot that will shake the entire university and change the course of their lives. Viola Davis, Billy Brown, Jack Falahee, Aja Naomi King, Matt McGorry, Charlie Webber and Liza Weil star.



"Harlem" - Season 3 (Jan. 23)

After a shocking Season 2 finale cliffhanger that left audiences on the edge of their seats, this new season follows the core four women on the precipice of change like never before. Whether it be motherhood, singlehood, sisterhood, complicated career journeys, or even more complicated families, our stylish and ambitious best girlfriends strive to finally choose themselves above all else. Shoniquea Shandai, Grace Byers, Meagan Good and Jerrie Johnson star.



"Blink Twice" (Jan. 21)

When tech billionaire Slater King (Channing Tatum) meets cocktail waitress Frida (Naomi Ackie) at his fundraising gala, sparks fly. He invites her to join him and his friends on a dream vacation on his private island. It's paradise. Wild nights blend into sun soaked days and everyone's having a great time. No one wants this trip to end, but as strange things start to happen, Frida begins to question her reality. There is something wrong with this place, and she'll have to uncover the truth if she wants to make it out of this party alive.



"Barbershop" (Available Now)

This comedy follows the daily lives of the patrons and employees of a barbershop on the south side of Chicago. Calvin (Ice Cube), who inherited the struggling business from his deceased father, views the shop as nothing but a burden and a waste of his time. After selling the shop to a local loan shark, Calvin slowly begins to see his father's vision and legacy and struggles with the notion that he just sold it out. "Barbershop 2: Back in Business" is also available to stream now.

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Friday

8 p.m. COOK Holiday Baking Championship Bakers must use fruitcake components in a new dessert.

8:30 p.m. FOOD Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives In Philadelphia, fried PB&Js and tacos; pork sammie.

9 p.m. ANTHEM Hell's Kitchen The teams participate in an intense challenge.

9:30 p.m. FOOD Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives Guy Fieri's diving into chicken, noodles and more.

Saturday

8 p.m. COOK Iron Chef America Chef Masaharu Morimoto vs. chef Marc Forgione.

9 p.m. DEST BBQ Pitmasters Barbecue cooking skills at Alabama's Decatur Riverfest.

9:30 p.m. FOOD Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives Guy Fieri checks out the local Phoenix food scene.

Sunday

8 p.m. HISTORY The Food That Built America

8:30 p.m. COOK Yum and Yummer Creating food mash-ups is an exciting way level up meals.

9 p.m. COOK Man v. Food A bacon-wrapped hot dog with a crazy toppings.

9:30 p.m. FOOD Beat Bobby Flay

Monday

8 p.m. FOOD Chopped The chefs go overboard while making glutinous food.

8:30 p.m. COOK Bizarre Foods With Andrew Zimmern Chicken foot soue; iguana meat and eggs; beef lung.

9 p.m. ANTHEM Hell's Kitchen After competing in challenges, contestants face elimination.

9:30 p.m. COOK The Zimmern List Andrew travels to Branson, Mo., for comfort food classics.

Tuesday

8 p.m. COOK Anthony Bourdain: No Reservations Tony visits with Egyptian locals.

FOOD Wildcard Kitchen Eric Adjepong invites lady chefs to his culinary card game.

9 p.m. ANTHEM Hell's Kitchen The remaining four chefs compete.

DEST BBQ Pitmasters Four contestants face off in a Turducken challenge.

Wednesday

8 p.m. FOOD Guy's Grocery Games The competitors must earn cash for their fancy dinner.

9 p.m. CLEO Culture Kitchen ANTHEM Hell's Kitchen The remaining 14 chefs compete.

FOOD Wildcard Kitchen The chef makes candy apple wings with brussels sprouts.

Thursday

8 p.m. COOK Bizarre Foods: Delicious Destinations Mile-high pastrami sandwiches; bagels and lox; pizza.

FOOD Beat Bobby Flay

8:30 p.m. COOK Bizarre Foods: Delicious Destinations From tapas to crema Catalana; Spanish history and culture.

FOOD Beat Bobby Flay Chefs get into a pickle with the star ingredient.

9 p.m. COOK Bizarre Foods: Delicious Destinations

Tasty traditions like barbacoa, chicharrone and huarache.

FOOD Beat Bobby Flay Chefs Chris Coleman and Siddharth Krishna hope to win.

9:30 p.m. COOK Bizarre Foods: Delicious Destinations Poutine to smoked meat to hand-rolled bagels.

FOOD Beat Bobby Flay Max Hosey and Ash Fuik attempt to take down Bobby Flay.

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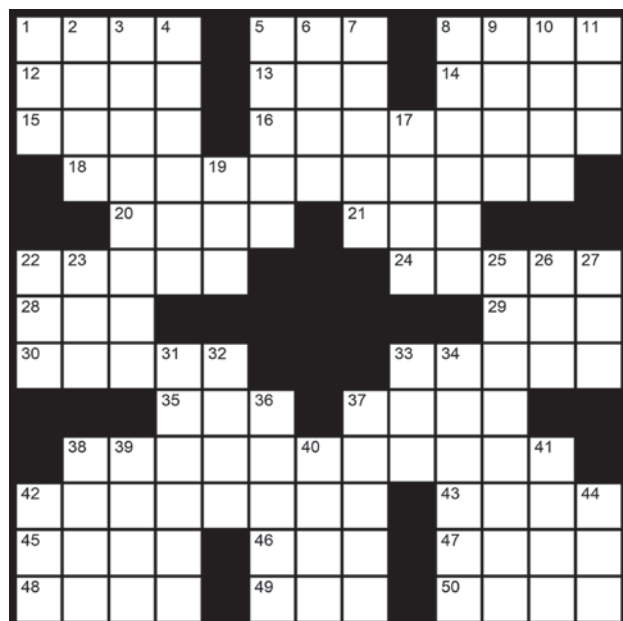
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- 1. Sitar master Shankar
- 5. Stoolie
- 8. Tennis's Arthur
- 12. Eye part
- 13. Freudian topic
- 14. "No ___ for you!" ("Seinfeld" catchphrase)
- 15. "Cheers" catchphrase
- 16. "Silicon Valley" actor Kumail
- 18. Fred Savage series, with "The"
- 20. Orbital point
- 21. AFTRA cousin
- 22. Strikes
- 24. ___ Dame
- 28. Comedian Bernie
- 29. "___ in Cleveland"
- 30. Titanic

- 33. Burns and Allen, e.g.
- 35. Historic period
- 37. "Breaking Bad" character ___ White
- 38. NBC legal drama
- 42. "Tonight Show" host before Carson
- 43. Cut down
- 45. "Fancy meeting you here!"
- 46. In poor health
- 47. Dorothy's last name in "The Wizard of Oz"
- 48. Partner of born
- 49. "The Science Kid" of TV
- 50. "Orinoco Flow" singer
- 5. Taylor of "The Nanny"
- 6. Food thickener
- 7. Theater prizes
- 8. Italian cheese
- 9. Fly high
- 10. Vandals
- 11. Over: Prefix
- 17. Actress Smart of "Hacks"
- 19. Drill wielder: Abbr.
- 22. "r u kidding?!"
- 23. Part of le printemps
- 25. Rory Calhoun western
- 26. Deteriorate
- 27. Aliens, for short
- 31. Recent arrival on the block
- 32. Links hazard
- 33. Golf pros regularly break it
- 34. Senescence
- 36. Diarist Nin

Down

- 1. Score
- 2. Affirm
- 3. "___ Mars"
- 4. Response to "You are so"

Crossword Solution



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- 37. Series opener?
- 38. Cowardly Lion portrayer Bert
- 39. Tooth trouble
- 40. Painter of limp watches
- 41. Bank (on)
- 42. Swindle

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7								5
	2				5	6		

To complete this puzzle, place the numbers 1-9 in the empty cells, so that every row, column and 3-by-3 box (in bold outline) contains all nine digits.

Each number 1-9 may appear only once in each row, column and 3-by-3 box.

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For Capt. Owen Strand (Rob Lowe), the fires aren't always figurative. While he works to protect the firefighters of the 126 during dangerous expeditions, Carlos (Rafael L. Silva) finds himself searching for a killer. With only three episodes left before the series finale, "9-1-1: Lone Star" airs a new episode this Monday, Jan. 20, on Fox. Want to see more? Clips and extras from the series are available at fox.com/9-1-1-lone-star/clips/clips-and-extras/

8	4	9	5	1	7	3	2	6
5	2	1	6	3	8	9	4	7
3	6	7	4	2	8	5	9	1
2	5	4	6	9	3	7	8	1
1	3	8	7	5	4	6	9	2
7	6	9	2	8	1	5	3	4
6	7	2	3	4	9	1	8	5
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Fill in each box of the BINGO grid below with an answer that begins with the letter above each column and belongs to the category listed before each row. List one answer for each box, although there is more than one acceptable answer for many of the boxes.

	M	S	W	R	P
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Type of meat					
Football equipment					
Basketball teams					
Things in a laundry room					

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"Your Friendly Neighborhood Spider-Man" - Season 1 (Disney+ — Jan. 29, Series Premiere)

In this latest installment to the Marvel Cinematic Universe, Peter Parker (Hudson Thames), in an alternative timeline, begins high school and his journey as Spider-Man, with Norman Osborn (Colman Domingo) as his mentor. This animated series, created by Jeff Trammell, also voice stars Hugh Dancy, Kari Wahlgren, Charlie Cox, Eugene Byrd, Paul F. Tompkins, Zeno Robinson, Grace Song and Vincent D'Onofrio.

Things in a laundry room	Things in a laundry room	Things in a laundry room	Things in a laundry room	Things in a laundry room	Things in a laundry room
Football equipment	Football equipment	Football equipment	Football equipment	Football equipment	Football equipment
Basketball teams	Basketball teams	Basketball teams	Basketball teams	Basketball teams	Basketball teams
MSNBC anchors	MSNBC anchors	MSNBC anchors	MSNBC anchors	MSNBC anchors	MSNBC anchors
Type of meat	Type of meat	Type of meat	Type of meat	Type of meat	Type of meat
Mouth guard equipment	Mouth guard equipment	Mouth guard equipment	Mouth guard equipment	Mouth guard equipment	Mouth guard equipment
Magical Wizards	Magical Wizards	Magical Wizards	Magical Wizards	Magical Wizards	Magical Wizards
Suns	Suns	Suns	Suns	Suns	Suns
Raptors/Facets/Pacers	Raptors/Facets/Pacers	Raptors/Facets/Pacers	Raptors/Facets/Pacers	Raptors/Facets/Pacers	Raptors/Facets/Pacers
Things in a laundry room	Things in a laundry room	Things in a laundry room	Things in a laundry room	Things in a laundry room	Things in a laundry room
Measuring cup	Measuring cup	Measuring cup	Measuring cup	Measuring cup	Measuring cup
Stain remover	Stain remover	Stain remover	Stain remover	Stain remover	Stain remover
Washer	Washer	Washer	Washer	Washer	Washer
Rags	Rags	Rags	Rags	Rags	Rags
Pins	Pins	Pins	Pins	Pins	Pins

Bingo — Solution

alternate puzzle

1	2	3		4	5	6	7		8	9	10		
11		*		12		*			13		*		
14				15					16				
		17						18					
19	20			What was printed under Uncle Sam in a WWI recruitment poster?				21		22	23		
24									25				
26	*									27	*		
28			29						30	31			
		32		33				34					
35	36					37	38				39	40	
41						42					43		
44	*					45			*			46	*

Across

- 1. Oils, busts, etc.
- 4. Aria, e.g.
- 8. Hydromassage facility
- 11. One to remember, for short
- 12. Shoot
- 13. Controls
- 14. Times off from work
- 17. Handful
- 18. Wapiti
- 19. Time pieces
- 21. Sushi supplies
- 24. "That's super cute"
- 25. "Now I get it"
- 26. Firm rejection
- 27. QB's target
- 28. Eastern European
- 30. Gets even with
- 32. Place
- 34. Police officer
- 35. Giving to charity
- 41. Account
- 42. Flightless bird

43. "Still ____" (1999 rap song)

- 44. Hunger
- 45. "Enough!"
- 46. Dine

Down

- 1. Onetime Jeep mfr.
- 2. Brazilian city, familiarly
- 3. It may be pulled
- 4. Potpourri
- 5. Be indebted to
- 6. Ballot abbr.
- 7. Hideous sort
- 8. Lose
- 9. Golf's Se Ri ____
- 10. Beast of burden
- 15. Coachella, e.g.
- 16. Lift
- 19. Levels of karate expertise
- 20. Missing from the Marines, say
- 22. When repeated, like some shows

- 23. Tom Jones's "____ a Lady"
- 29. Cast one's lot (with)
- 31. Shuffle and Touch
- 33. Shoots the breeze
- 34. China problem
- 35. Thickness
- 36. Row producer
- 37. Lousy egg?
- 38. Double standard?
- 39. "Piece of the Rock" company, for short
- 40. Oater affirmative

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	L	K	E	L	W	F	E		
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K	S	H	I	G	T	M	I	V	A
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The solution to the question is found within the answers in the puzzle. In order to discover this hidden solution, unscramble the letters noted with asterisks within the puzzle.

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K I C A T E R W A U L X	1. Honk	10. Grunt
R A B H B B R A Y D I B	2. Bay	9. Gobble
C D V B A Q U A C K K F	3. Bleat	8. Cluck
M E V I Y T P J C V N A	4. Bray	7. Chirp
T E P M U R T U H Z O L	5. Catenwaul	6. Chatter
A R I V V U N E I G H L	6. Quack	5. Purr
K N I O H C E E R C S Q	7. Scream	4. Oink
W J T L L G E L P A L V	8. Trill	3. Neigh
A X B U L F G B J T K E	9. Squawk	2. Meow
U I C T A E L B A R K V	10. Trumpet	1. Bark
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WORD SEARCH

In the grid below, twenty answers can be found that fit the category for today. Circle each answer that you find and list it in the space provided at the right of the grid. Answers can be found in all directions—forward, backward, horizontally, vertically and diagonally. An example is given to get you started. Can you find the twenty answers in today's puzzle?

Today's Category: Animal Noises

K I C A T E R W A U L X	1. <u>Bark</u>
R A B H B B R A Y D I B	2. _____
C D V B A Q U A C K K F	3. _____
M E V I Y T P J C V N A	4. _____
T E P M U R T U H Z O L	5. _____
A R I V V U N E I G H L	6. _____
K N I O H C E E R C S Q	7. _____
W J T L L G E L P A L V	8. _____
A X B U L F G B J T K E	9. _____
U I C T A E L B A R K V	10. _____
Q K J Z M M E O W G B W	11. _____
S K N T N U R G B L K O	12. _____
	13. _____
	14. _____
	15. _____
	16. _____
	17. _____
	18. _____
	19. _____
	20. _____

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Emotions run high after Nathan's (Kevin McGarry) secret is revealed, leaving Elizabeth (Erin Krakow) devastated. As a big wedding approaches, however, everyone must band together and put their feelings aside to help prepare for the celebration – even when the bachelor and bachelorette parties leave guests feeling conflicted. A new episode from Season 8 of "When Calls the Heart" airs this Sunday, Jan. 19, on Hallmark, with full episode summaries available at hallmarkchannel.com/when-calls-the-heart/when-calls-the-heart-season-8

Rick and Corey Harrison are back and ready to bargain. Alongside a knowledgeable team of experts, this father-son duo runs the only family-owned pawn shop in Las Vegas, where they assess the value of customers' items and make deals to purchase the finds that outshine the rest. This Wednesday, Jan. 22, "Pawn Stars" debuts its 23rd season on History, welcoming viewers back into the world famous Gold & Silver Pawn Shop. To relive past episodes before "Pawn Stars" returns, check out history.com/shows/pawn-stars/season-1

Utilizing video footage from real events taking place across America, this reality series offers a raw and unfiltered look into the inner workings of U.S.-based sheriff and police departments, taking viewers behind the scenes as it showcases how these civil servants keep their communities safe. Season 2 of "Police 24/7" begins with a brand-new episode airing Thursday, Jan. 23, on The CW, with more episodes from the series are available to stream online, at cwtv.com/shows/police-24-7/

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'Exit the King,' 'Jesus Christ Superstar' open this weekend

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Las Cruces Bulletin

The Las Cruces local theatrical season resumes after the holiday break this weekend with two local productions opening downtown.

No Strings Theatre Company, an anchor of the downtown theatre scene, is once again staging a play by Eugène Ionesco, the 20th century playwright regarded then as a leading figure in the French avant-garde and also popular in the American theater.

Director Joshua Taulbee was a member of the ensemble and scenic designer for No Strings' production of Ionesco's "The Killing Game" in 2020.

As related by the theatre's website, the play tells "the story of King Berenger, ruler of a crumbling kingdom, who wakes up one morning with aching bones, a failing liver and a really bad headache, among other ailments. Even worse, nothing and no one around him – not the weather, not his wretched first queen, not even his adoring second queen and trusty guard – obeys his commands. Since the King has ruled for more than four centuries, thus overstaying his welcome by about 200 years or so, it seems the administrators upstairs have made an executive decision – to terminate the King's reign and his life, effective immediately. Not ready to give up the ghost, however, Berenger fights the inevitable as his mind and body shut down. Can this materialistic, greedy, cruel and uncaring monarch learn to let go of the one thing he loves

most – himself?"

The cast includes Atticus Starritt, Lisa Taylor, Rachel Maze, Jeff Peckham, Casi Galban and A.J. Tumminaro.

The production opens Friday, Jan. 17, at 8 p.m. and runs through Feb. 2. Show times, ticketing and further information are available online at no-strings.org, or via 575-523-1223. The theatre is located at 430 N. Main Street in downtown Las Cruces.

Down the street, the Rio Grande Theatre hosts the Blank Conversations Theatre Company's production of the famed musical "Jesus Christ Superstar," with music by Andrew Lloyd Webber and lyrics by Tim Rice. The 1971 rock opera centers on the story of the Passion of Jesus Christ (played here by Alyssa Gose) and Jesus' conflict with Judas (Peyton Womble).

The production is directed by Lisa Hermanson and choreographed by Ryan McMullen, per the company's website. In addition to Gose and Womble, the ensemble includes Ivan Aragon, Kacie Bauer, Liam Day, Ben Garcia, Maya Marquee, Eliseo, Katie Meyers, Mario Montiel, Mattie Ruminer, Karen Shaw, Delaney Sivils and Kelly Jo Waggoner.

The show runs from Jan. 17-26, opening with an 7 p.m. performance on Friday. Showtimes, ticketing and additional information are available at RioGrandeTheatre.org, while information about Blank Conversations is available on Facebook and at BlankConversations.org.

The Rio Grande Theatre is located at 211 N. Main Street downtown.



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Rehearsal photographs depict scenes from Blank Conversations Theatre Company's production of "Jesus Christ Superstar," opening Jan. 17 at the Rio Grande Theatre in downtown Las Cruces.



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BALLOONS

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and there didn't seem to be any new blood to pick up the slack. A hiatus ensued.

Casillas took on the daunting task of resurrecting the beloved event because she has memories of growing up and chasing balloons with her mother and sister. She's also engaged to a balloon pilot of 40 years and attends rallies all across the country. Her decision to bring the rally back to Las Cruces was a natural evolution.

"It just needed somebody to organize it, and I had the crazy idea that I could do it," she said. Securing the sponsorships of Visit Las Cruces and New Mexico True made the crazy idea a reality.

"If Visit Las Cruces had not helped us, I'm not sure we could have pulled it off. We would have had to wait

until 2026," Casillas said. She is quick to point out, however, that this rally is not a one-woman operation. There were a lot of local enthusiasts who jumped at the chance to bring the rally back.

"I'm doing this as a balloon enthusiast, but it's not just me," Casillas said. "We have a whole platoon of people who are helping to organize it, all working as volunteers. I have people from Deming and Alamogordo coming in to volunteer. My original vision for this rally was to have it as local as possible, which included all of the areas surrounding Las Cruces."

The next step in the resurrection was bringing in the balloons.

"We have balloonists coming in from Albuquerque, Missouri, Arizona, and beyond," Casillas said. "We have hot air balloons for all tastes. We have 20 full-sized balloons



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The Mesilla Valley Balloon Rally is emerging from a hiatus, with support from the city of Las Cruces, to fill the skies with balloons in flight Jan. 18 and 19, with a kickoff event downtown on Jan. 17.

set to fly on Saturday and Sunday mornings. We also have 15 remote radio-controlled balloons."

And finally, vendors to supply the amenities like food and drink.

"I've got some good vendors who will be working hard during the rally," said Casillas. "I've got Francys Emilade, who has a huge following. She does the most amazing hot chocolate, ciders and lemonade. Organ Mountain Graphics will be doing kettle corn. Esteban's Mexican Food will be bringing breakfast burritos and gorditas. We'll also have beef jerky, and non-alcoholic Bloody Marys and margaritas."

With everything in place, the Mesilla Valley Balloon Rally is set to thrill valley denizens once again with the stunning sight of colorful balloons floating languidly across the morning sky. But first, there's the kickoff from 7-9 p.m., Friday, Jan. 17, when the radio-controlled balloons will gather and glow in the downtown Plaza de Las Cruces.

The next morning, around 7 a.m., Saturday, Jan. 18, the first morning ascension will take place at the Field of Dreams. The full-sized balloons will inflate and launch from the southwest dirt lot. The radio-controlled balloons will put on their show in the west parking lot.

Later that evening at sunset, around 5:30 p.m., the parking lots will once again be ground zero for the Evening Glow, where both the full-sized and the radio-controlled balloons will light up the night in a magical display of color. The final ascension occurs at sunrise, around 7 a.m., on Sunday, Jan. 19, once again at the Field of Dreams, in a repeat of Saturday's lift off.

Of course, all of this is dependent on clear weather. If it's too windy (more than 10 mph, according to the website), or

if there are storms within 50 miles, most pilots will not risk flying. The forecast for the weekend is clear and sunny, but only the gods of the desert know for sure, and the pilots have the final say.

With luck, this will be only the beginning for the next chapter in the saga of the Mesilla Valley Balloon Rally. One of Casillas' and her fiancé, John's, goals is to continue building interest between festivals, and that means building up the pilot population in the area. In this respect, the future is looking bright for the couple. Interest in ballooning, it seems, is on the rise again.

"There used to be a lot more pilots living in Las Cruces, but a lot of them moved away, or retired," she reminds us. "It's just a matter of having an instructor who is available. In order to be able to instruct, a pilot needs a commercial rating. Once that's achieved, they can take on students, who in turn can log instruction hours. So, having a commercial-rated pilot in the area is crucial. There are actually a lot of young pilots coming in. One of John's students is in his 30s, and another is in his 20s. And we just met three more students over the weekend, and they're all young."

The Mesilla Valley Balloon Rally lifts eyes to the skies Jan. 17-19, first at the Plaza de Las Cruces, 100 N. Main St., then at the Field of Dreams, 2300 Tashiro Drive. For more information, visit the website at MesillaValleyBalloonRally.weebly.com



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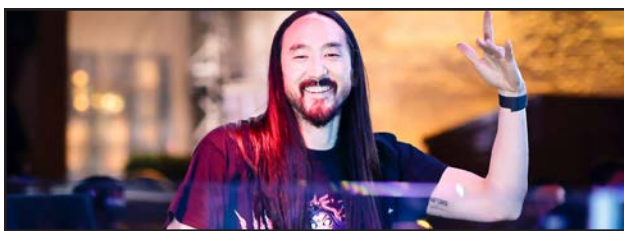
Twin Flames will bring traditional music to the forefront at 7 p.m., Friday, January 17, at the Flickinger Center for the Performing Arts, 1110 New York Ave., Alamogordo. Info: 575-437-2202



Steve Aoki

The multiple award-winning, and Pollstar's highest-grossing electronic dance DJ and record producer brings his revolutionary sounds to El Paso as part of his latest 250+ city tour in support of his 2024 album Paragon.

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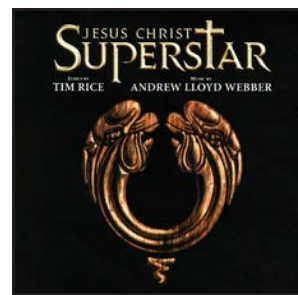
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Las Cruces Bulletin

Jesus Christ Superstar

The 1973 rock opera about the final days of Jesus Christ, as seen through the eyes of Judas Iscariot, with music by Andrew Lloyd Webber and lyrics by Tim Rice, is re-staged by Blank Conversations Theatre Company.

Jesus Christ Superstar preaches musically 7 & 2 p.m., January 17 – 26, at the Rio Grande Theatre, 211 N. Main St., Las Cruces. Info: BlankConversations.org



Exit The King

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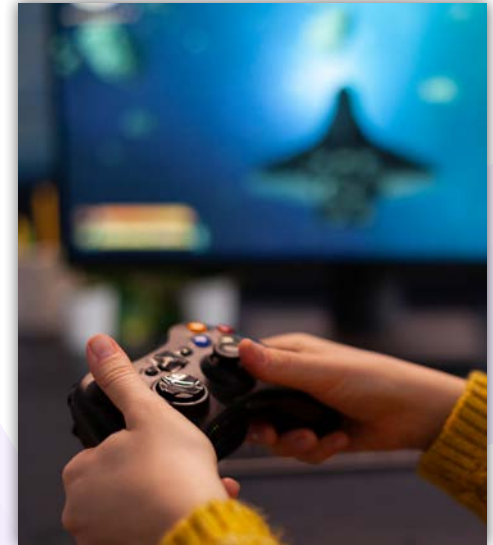
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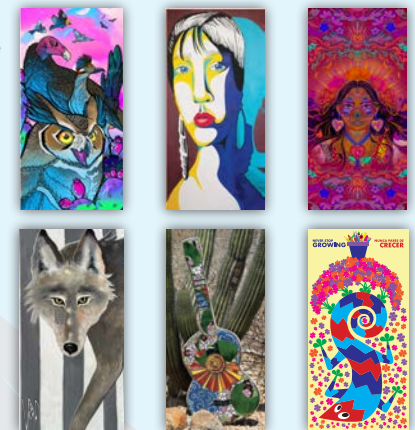
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- 21 Splotchy GI garb
- 22 He played AI Bundy on TV
- 23 Planners of campus events
- 25 Often-pickled red vegetable
- 26 Atop, in poems
- 27 Lena of "The Reader"
- 28 Latin "I love"
- 30 Patron saint of sailors
- 31 Brotherhood
- 39 Capital of a Mexico state
- 40 Hard to find
- 41 Burdened
- 42 Travail
- 44 Political campaigners for a particular issue
- 50 Wonderment
- 53 Dragon in "The Hobbit"
- 57 Suffix with racket
- 58 Not at all tight
- 59 Medieval protectors of trade
- 63 Icebox
- 65 Boise's state
- 66 Gel in a lab
- 67 By means of
- 68 Claimed psychic gift
- 69 Regulators of a moral code
- 76 Bath fixture
- 79 Printer fluid

80 Years on end

- 81 More devious
- 85 Surfs the internet, e.g.
- 88 Fighters of animal cruelty
- 92 Madison Ave. contact
- 93 Sea, in Paris
- 94 Corrective eye surgery
- 95 Pitching star
- 96 It consists of 13-player football teams
- 100 Aspirin target
- 103 Japanese alternative to massage
- 104 "Carpe --!"
- 108 Newspaper of the USSR
- 112 Managers of houses in a subdivision
- 118 SpaceX founder Musk
- 119 Formed a lap
- 120 "Leave -- the pros"
- 121 Anna of fashion
- 122 It has Cut and Copy commands
- 126 Apt playing card for this puzzle's theme?
- 131 Company VIP
- 132 Barrymore or Waters of "Pinky"
- 133 Consignment shop deal
- 134 "I have no ideal!"
- 135 -- Dame
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SUPER CROSSWORD

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- 5 Ram's mate
- 6 Prince, e.g.
- 7 Eye-related
- 8 Philippine capital
- 9 One-sharp musical key
- 10 Sticky gunk
- 11 Hit -- (run into some trouble)
- 12 Urbane
- 13 Fruity drink
- 14 Foot part
- 15 Busy crawler
- 16 Arty cap
- 17 Garlicky mayonnaise
- 18 Replay speed, briefly
- 19 "Your Song" singer John
- 24 Whole lot
- 29 Ice cream drink
- 32 "Tsk!"
- 33 -- -friendly
- 34 She was Mrs. Gorbachev
- 35 Stephen of "Still Crazy"
- 36 Nuptial oath
- 37 Buddhism branch
- 38 Point of view
- 43 K-O linkup
- 45 Toon frame
- 46 Fish eggs
- 47 Seep out
- 48 Wields
- 49 Crime doer
- 50 French bud
- 51 Join nuptially
- 52 Pitching stat
- 54 Sharp as --
- 55 Popular Aussie boots
- 56 Avocado dip, for short
- 60 Fidel's cohort
- 61 Sweltering
- 62 "... sad and dreary everywhere --": Stephen Foster
- 63 Suitable
- 64 Disloyal sort
- 67 Ivy and kudzu
- 70 Go in haste
- 71 Electees, e.g.
- 72 Diner offering
- 73 "-- Lisa"
- 74 PC key
- 75 Gin inventor Whitney
- 76 Ski lift type
- 77 Pakistani language
- 78 Tennis' Bjoern
- 82 Positive vote
- 83 And so on: Abbr.
- 84 Dark loaf
- 86 Fly trapper
- 87 Jazz's -- Gyra
- 88 Mecca-to-Medina flight
- 89 Country east of Arg.
- 90 Little drink
- 91 Giraffe's kin
- 93 Be certain
- 97 Actor Ayres
- 98 A, in Berlin
- 99 Self-help author LeShan
- 101 Lyric-penning Gershwin
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- 105 Apple computer camera
- 106 Bible book before Job
- 107 Mark with multicolored spots
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- 111 Licoricelike seeds
- 112 Listens to
- 113 Classic song
- 114 Actress Shearer
- 115 PC key
- 116 Dutch painter Jan
- 117 Dove's call
- 123 Roman 1,200
- 124 Biblical verb suffix
- 125 -- de plume
- 127 Figure skater Midori
- 128 To's partner
- 129 Company VIP
- 130 Timothy Leary's drug

NM suicide data shows declines among two groups

BULLETIN REPORT

The New Mexico Department of Health reports that suicide rates among women and Indigenous people, two vulnerable population groups, dropped by 42 percent and 43 percent, respectively,

during 2023. The rate among males did not see a significant difference.

Per health department data, the number of women dying by suicide in 2023 dropped to 67 from 116 the previous year. Among Indigenous men and women, the number

was 44, down from 77 in 2022.

The overall rate of death by suicide decreased in 2023 by 9 percent, but the department noted that the decline was not yet a measurable trend, and that “the state’s suicide death rate is still 9 percent

higher than it was a decade ago.”

“Suicide is a serious public health problem that can have lasting effects on communities,” DOH chief medical officer Dr. Miranda Durham stated in a news release. “Preventing suicide requires many

strategies, but everyone can help by learning the warning signs, promoting prevention and working to foster healthy connections and safe environments.”

New Mexico’s 988 Lifeline offers free, confidential support for emotional or mental health crises,

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Madelyn's expanding near historic plaza

MIKE COOK
For the Bulletin

Two-year-old Madelyn Davies is not only part of a seven-generation Las Cruces family, she also has a restaurant named in her honor.

Madelyn's opened its doors last October at 2488 Calle de Guadalupe, at the intersection with Calle de Principal in Mesilla, right across the street from the Fountain Theatre. The owners are Madelyn's parents, Amanda and Kent Davies, and Amanda's parents, Robert May and Irma Chavez-May.

Irma and Amanda manage the restaurant, sometimes joined by Madelyn's 3-year-old brother, Cooper, who helps with stocking and other chores and even has his own Madelyn's uniform.

Chavez-May and Davies typically arrive at Madelyn's by 6:30 a.m. to complete that day's preparation of croissants, cinnamon rolls, turnovers, muffins, biscotti, brownies; survivor, magic and peanut butter dream bars, pies, cheesecake, tiramisu and pumpkin, zucchini, banana and carrot cake, to go with the restaurant's



COURTESY PHOTOS BY MADELYNS
From left, Irma Chavez-May, Kent Davies and Amanda Davies are seen at Madelyns in Mesilla, N.M.

trademark coffee and other hot and cold drinks. "We are the bakers," Chavez-May said.

The menu also includes pizza made from scratch, which was chosen as a signature dish so the restaurant "would not duplicate the Mexican food" popular at other Mesilla eateries, Davies said, along with sandwiches, gluten-free turkey- and veggie wraps and a breakfast menu that includes oatmeal, waffles, French toast, omelets and Quiche a la Madelyn.

Chavez-May and Davies have a long history of local restaurant ownership and management.

Chavez-May opened a TCBY Yogurt store in Las Cruces in 1991, and then opened Coffee Haus on the New Mexico State University campus in 1997 and operated it for 24 years. Davies, who has a bachelor's degree in hotel, restaurant and tourism management from NMSU, began working at the coffee house at



The front patio at Madelyns is visible from Calle de Guadalupe near the historic plaza in Mesilla, N.M.

the age of five.

With the opening of Madelyn's, "We're both getting our dreams fulfilled," said Chavez-May, who has a degree in management. She is also a real estate broker, and learned the Mesilla property was for sale when the owners asked her to list it.

"It's been very, very busy," said Davies, also a real estate agent, along with her husband and father, who just retired from the profession.

The Mays and Davies are already in the process of expanding Madelyn's. Robert and Kent are at work on the north side of the building, getting an additional dining room ready to open when Madelyn's adds beer, wine and spirits to its menu in February, Chavez-May said. There will also be a stage for local musicians to perform live as the restaurant

expands into night-time hours.

Madelyn's is located just south of the historic Mesilla Plaza and San Albino Church, where Chavez-May's grandfather, a Mesilla Valley farmer named Isaac Chavez, served as an usher for 40 years, she said.

Now, within sight of that historic Mesilla landmark, Isaac Chavez's descendants are "starting the circle again," Chavez-May said.

Madelyn's is open 8 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. on Saturday and 9 a.m.-4 p.m. on Sunday, with expanded hours coming in February. You can dine in or call ahead for pickup, including Madelyn's coffee boxes and pastry boxes. Coffee beans are also for sale.

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Santa Teresa development inches forward

JUSTIN GARCIA
Las Cruces Bulletin

The Doña Ana County Board of County Commissioners approved a preliminary plat for a massive housing development in Santa Teresa despite questions about compliance with existing plans.

The plat – a map parceling where development will occur and what will be developed in a given area – covers phase 1 of the Alta Mesa Estates, a 1,180-acre master-planned community that promises to host some 3,400 single-family homes, 1,077 apartments and about 130 acres of commercial

development over the next decade.

El Paso mogul William “Bill” Sanders and his firm Verde Realty first proposed the project as a 20,000-acre and 25,000-home project. However, El Paso news reports indicate the project was dropped about 16 years ago after the county established a master plan for the area.

Terry McLachlan, a Dallas developer, took up a smaller, less ambitious version. Today, the area is largely vacant. But in April 2024, the commission established a public improvement district to funnel public dollars toward infrastructure improvements.

However, at the commission meeting on Jan. 14, multiple questions were raised about McLachlan’s proposed plat and the meeting procedure itself.

“I think my biggest concern is that this looks nothing like what was presented to us (in April),” Commissioner Manuel Sanchez said during the presentation.

Christina Ainsworth, the county’s community development director, presented the plat to the commission following its passage in the county’s planning and zoning commission. Ainsworth also pointed out that planning and zoning attached conditions to their approval



DOÑA ANA COUNTY IMAGE
An aerial presentation of the proposed area for the Alta Mesa Estates development in Santa Teresa near Sunland Park, N.M.

of the plat.

First, they said some minor concerns from the county should be addressed. Second, they said that the approval would not provide any precedent for future development that broke the Santa Teresa master plan—a county document that attempts to dictate how the area will be developed.

Third, they said any and

all future proposals would be in compliance with the said master plan. Ainsworth also said that this plat was in compliance with the county’s development code.

Chair Christopher Schaljo-Hernandez confirmed to the Las Cruces Bulletin that the devel-

oper could either present an updated version of the master plan to the commission or comply with the 2005 master plan.

The meeting took a turn when Fred Kennon, the acting county attorney, told the commission that this meeting was technically a quasi-judicial hearing, which meant that people involved needed to be retroactively sworn in.

Shortly after that, the commission went into a closed session before emerging to approve the plat, bringing the project one step closer to realization.

ABORTION

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expressly preempted by the Act.”

Gov. Michelle Lujan Grisham, who initiated numerous abortion protections for women and providers in the aftermath of the 2022 ruling, lauded the decision, saying the court affirmed “what we’ve known all along – healthcare decisions belong to New Mexican women and their doctors, not politicians.” The ruling, her statement continued, “ensures that New Mexico will remain a safe haven for healthcare access and individual freedom. We will continue protecting reproductive rights while neighboring states strip them away. I’m grateful to Attorney General Torrez and to our Supreme Court for defending the rule of law and the rights of all New Mexicans.”

“While the Ordinances restate the Comstock Act’s prohibitions, they do not, as Respondents claim, simply ‘parrot’ federal law,” the Court wrote in Thursday’s decision. “They go significantly beyond federal requirements by, among other things, purporting to regulate access to and licensure of so-called abortion clinics and physicians in a manner that prohibits or interferes with access to reproductive healthcare. Our Legislature’s adoption of the Health Care Freedom Act is an express rebuke of Respondents’ action. Indeed, the Legislature seemingly contemplated local dissent and ensured that any conflicting law would be

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Deadline to apply for this position is Feb 6, 2025

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DACC, a responsive, accessible, comprehensive, learning-centered community college that provides education opportunities to a diverse community of learners is inviting candidates to apply for the following vacant position:

CC Division Dean, Arts, Humanities, & Social Sciences Posting #501710

Required Education: Master's degree in a related field.

Required Experience: Five (5) years of professional experience related to the standard duties as outlined.

Classification Summary

The Division Dean is responsible for the development, administration, and promotion of the division and its programs ensuring high quality instruction in a safe and engaging learning environment. The Dean provides academic and educational leadership to the faculty members, students and campus colleagues and is responsible for developing an active teaching/learning community among students and faculty on campus.

For a complete job announcement and to apply for position, please visit: CC Division Dean, Arts, Humanities, & Social Sciences - Doña Ana Community College, New Mexico, United States
Deadline to apply for this position is 01/17/2025

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DACC, a responsive, accessible, comprehensive, learning-centered community college that provides education opportunities to a diverse community of learners is inviting candidates to apply for the following vacant position:

CC Division Dean, Advanced Technologies Posting #501711

Required Education: Master's degree in a related field.

Required Experience: Five (5) years of professional experience related to the standard duties as outlined.

Classification Summary

The Division Dean is responsible for the development, administration, and promotion of the division and its programs ensuring high quality instruction in a safe and engaging learning environment. The Dean provides academic and educational leadership to the faculty members, students and campus colleagues and is responsible for developing an active teaching/learning community among students and faculty on campus.

For a complete job announcement and to apply for position, please visit: CC Division Dean, Advanced Technologies - Doña Ana Community College, New Mexico, United States

Deadline to apply for this position is 01/17/2025

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Miscellaneous

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Legal Notice

NOTICE is hereby given that on November 25, 2024, Daniel Gonzalez Fernandez & Irma Soledad Holguin De Gonzalez, 12933 Battalion Way, El Paso, TX

Mountain Music

2330 S. Valley Drive

523-0603

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Musical Instruments

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79938, filed with the **STATE ENGINEER** Application No. LRG-00045-POD9, OSE File No. LRG-00045-J, for Permit to Change Point of Diversion within the Lower Rio Grande Underground Water Basin of the State of New Mexico by discontinuing the use of well LRG-00044 located within the SE¼ NE¼ SW¼ of Section 16, T26S, R03E (NMPM), or where X = 1,519,080 ft. and Y = 379,576.2 ft. (NMSP, Central 83) and well LRG-00045 located within the SW¼ SE¼ SW¼ of said Section 16, or where X = 1,518,516 ft. and Y = 378,375.6 ft. (NMSP, Central 83), and drilling well LRG-00045-POD9 within the SW¼ SE¼ of said Section 16, or where X = 1,519,911.58 ft. and Y = 378,953.51 ft. (NMSP, Central 83), for the continued diversion of the amount of water subject to all conditions and provisions contained in the August 22, 2011 Final Judgment and Settlement Agreement in Stream System Issue No. 101, SS-97-101, combined with surface water from the Elephant Butte Irrigation District for the irrigation 3.77 acres of land located within the SW¼ SE¼ of said Section 16. All land and wells are located on land owned by the applicant. Wells LRG-00044 and LRG-00045 will be retained for other water rights. The site of well LRG-00045-POD9 can further be located within Lot 18 of Orchard Estates Subdivision (Phases 3, 4, 5) and is approximately 0.41 miles from the intersection of Aldaz Rd. and Optiz Rd. The applicant has requested emergency authorization to drill

the proposed well under NMSA, 1978, Section 72-12-23. Dona Ana is the County affected by the diversion and in which the water has been or will be put to beneficial use. This notice is ordered to be published in the Las Cruces Bulletin. To view the application and supporting documentation contact the State Engineer District Office to arrange a date and time for an appointment located at 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J, Las Cruces, NM 88005. Any person, firm or corporation or other entity asserting standing to file objections or protests shall do so in writing (objection must be legible, signed, and include the writer's complete name, phone number, email address, and mailing address). If the protest does not include the complete name, phone number, email address, and mailing address, it may be deemed invalid and not accepted for filing unless Protestant provides with the protest an affidavit stating that it does not have one of the above-listed elements/requirements (phone number, mailing address, email address, etc.). The objection to the approval of the application must be based on: (1) Impairment; if impairment, you must specifically identify your water rights; and/or (2) Public Welfare/Conservation of Water; if public welfare or conservation of water within the state of New Mexico, you must show how you will be substantially and specifically affected. The written protest must be filed, in triplicate, with the State Engineer, 1680 Hickory Loop, Suite J,

Las Cruces, NM 88005 on or before February 28, 2025. Facsimiles (faxes) will be accepted as a valid protest if the hard copy is hand-delivered or mailed and postmarked within 24 hours of the facsimile. Mailing postmark will be used to validate the 24-hour period. Protests can be faxed to the Office of the State Engineer, at 575-524-6160. If no valid protest or objection is filed, the State Engineer will evaluate the application in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 72 NMSA 1978.

Dates: 01/03, 01/10, 01/17, 2024

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF DONA ANA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

Case No.: D-307-CV-2024-01463
NEW DAY FINANCIAL, LLC, Plaintiff, vs. PHILIP WISEMAN; GREEN SOLAR; GOOD-LEAP, LLC; Defendants

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, having appointed me or my designee as Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered me to sell the real property (the "Property") situated in Dona Ana County, New Mexico, commonly known as 3202 Harrelson Street, Las Cruces, NM 88005, and more particularly described as follows: LOTS 4 AND 5, BLOCK 8, MESILLA PARK PROPERTY OF RIO GRANDE LAND COMPANY, IN THE CITY OF LAS CRUCES, DONA ANA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN AND

DESIGNATED ON THE PLAT THEREOF, FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF SAID COUNTY ON AUGUST 25, 1887, IN BOOK 2 PAGE(S) 31 OF PLAT RECORDS. Including any mobile home, and any and all improvements, fixtures, and attachments. If there is a conflict between the legal description and the street address, the legal description shall control. The sale is to begin at 10:00 AM on March 4, 2025, outside the main entrance of the 3rd Judicial District Courthouse, 201 W. Picacho, City of Las Cruces, County of Dona Ana, State of New Mexico, at which time I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, in lawful currency of the United States of America, the Property to pay expenses of sale, and to satisfy the foreclosure Judgment granted on December 9, 2024, in the total amount of \$147,719.04, with interest at the rate of 3.0000% per annum from November 9, 2024 through the date of the sale. The sale is subject to the entry of an Order by this Court approving the sale. NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the real property and improvements concerned with herein will be sold subject to any and all patent reservations, easements, and all taxes and utility liens, special assessments and taxes that may be due. New Day Financial, LLC, its attorneys, and the undersigned Special Master, disclaim all responsibility for, and the purchaser at the sale takes the property "as is," in its present condition, subject to the valuation of

the property by the County Assessor as real or personal property, affixture of any mobile or manufactured home to the land, deactivation of title to a mobile or manufactured home on the property, if any, environmental contamination on the property, if any, and zoning violations concerning the property, if any. NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the purchaser at such sale shall take title to the above described real property subject to a one (1) month right of redemption. PROSPECTIVE PURCHASERS AT SALE ARE ADVISED TO MAKE THEIR OWN EXAMINATION OF THE TITLE AND THE CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY AND TO CONSULT THEIR OWN ATTORNEY BEFORE BIDDING. By: Margaret Lake 201 Eubank NE Suite #A1 Albuquerque, NM 87123 1 NM-24-990499-JUD IDSPub #0226014
Dates: 1/3/2025 1/10/2025 1/17/2025 1/24/2025

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Notice is hereby given that the following property shall be sold at public auction or otherwise disposed, of in satisfaction of lien, in accordance with the New Mexico Self Storage Lien Act. To be held over the internet at: storaget-reasures.com
By DISCOUNT SELF STORAGE
2499 El Camino Real, Las Cruces, NM 88007
575 382-0000
BEGINNING ON TUESDAY Jan. 28th, 2025, AT 10 A.M. AND ENDING ON FRIDAY Jan. 31st 2025, AT 10 A.M.
THE ENTIRE CONTENTS OF

STORAGE UNITS: 227, 245, 308, 432, 473, 617, 718, 802 (Tenant address is "last known")

UNIT 227
NELLE G. LOPEZ P.O BOX 4, DONA ANA, NM 88032
Unit items consist of: Couch, Recliner, TV, Furniture, Misc. items

UNIT 245
MARIE A. LEATHERWOOD
4636 MESA CENTRAL DR., LAS CRUCES, NM 88011
Unit items consist of: Bike, Wheel Barrel, Bedding, TV, Misc. items

UNIT 308
OLIVIA VALDEZ 199 W. MADRID AVE. APT. D3 LAS CRUCES, NM 88005
Unit items consist of: Furniture, Boxes, Bags, Misc. items

UNIT 432
Melodrina Ognan 704 Dogwood Dr., Elizabethtown, KY 42701
Unit items consist of: Furniture, Appliances, Boxes, Totes, Misc. items

UNIT 473
ANSEL A. AUSTIN 2004 N. Alameda Blvd., Las Cruces, NM 88005

Unit items consist of: Tools, Furniture, Boxes, Wall Art, Totes, Misc. items

UNIT 617
DANIEL A. PARRA 930 Juniper Ave.. Las Cruces, NM 88001
Unit items consist of: Washer, Dryer, Bedding, Couches, Boxes, Totes, Misc. items.

UNIT 718
Lucinda Randall 3110 MAIN ST. Melborne, FL 32901
Unit items consist of: Boxes, Totes, Bags, Misc. items.

UNIT 802
Lucas P. Gonzales 68 Vista Del Monte Santa Fe, NM 87508
Unit items consist of: Golf Clubs, Air Fryer, Camping Gear, Boxes, Bags, Misc. items.

Dates: 1/10/2025,

1/17/2025

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By DISCOUNT SELF STORAGE 2190 HOLIDAY AVE LAS CRUCES, NM 88005

575 525-9056
BEGINNING ON TUESDAY, January 28, 2025 AT 10 A.M. AND ENDING ON FRIDAY, January 31, 2025 AT 10 A.M.

THE ENTIRE CONTENTS OF STORAGE UNITS: 54, 56, 59, A07, A21, A28, A32, B03, B09, C08, C16, C4849, D11, D29, D34, E24, E33, I24, I34, I40, J14, J19, M05, P23.

Tenant address is "last known."
Unit 54
Alfred M Silva 533 Melendrez #54 Las Cruces, NM 88001

Unit items consist of: Boxes, misc items.

Unit 56
Salina E Morales 2733 Sandhill Rd. Las Cruces, NM 88012

Unit items consist of: Furniture, bed frame, clothes, misc items

Unit 59
Shakira M Garcia 4175 Bataan Memorial West #1 Las Cruces, NM 88012

Unit items consist of: Furniture, tires, tools, tile, misc items.

Unit A07
Arturo Verdin 13617 little River Rd #8101

Roanoke, TX 76262
Unit items consist of: Boxes, bike, totes, mattress, misc

items.
Unit A21
Shakira M Garcia 4175 Bataan Memorial West #1 Las Cruces, NM 88012
Unit items consist of: Furniture, toys, garden tools, baby stroller, misc items.
Unit A28
Adolfo Ortiz 1410 Lafonda Dr Las Cruces, NM 88001

Unit items consist of: Boxes, misc items.

Unit A34
Wilma Aguirre 1260 Hall Ave Las Cruces, NM 88005

Unit items consist of: Big screen TV, Drawers, couch, sofa chair, boxes, plastic totes, misc items.

Unit B03
Edward Miguel Rodriguez 1055 Larry Dr. Las Cruces, NM

Unit items consist of: Toolbox, sewing machine, baby carriage, misc items.

Unit B09
Arturo Regalado 5812 Chula Vista Las Cruces, NM 88012

Unit items consist of: Generator, bed frame, boxes, bags, misc items.

Unit C08
Addam J Zamora 5310 Saddle Mountain Rd. Las Cruces, NM 88012

Unit items consist of: Furniture.

Unit C16
Adam Martinez 2200 Holiday Ave #107 Las Cruces, NM 88005

Unit items consist of: Bedding, totes, boxes, bags, misc items.

Unit C4849
Odonis Jones 1340 Paxton St. Las Cruces, NM 88001

Unit items consist of: Clothing, boxes, totes, bedding, misc items.

Unit D11
Quest L. Jones 808 E Idaho Ave. #10

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Las Cruces, NM
88001
Unit items consist of:
Boxes, mannequins,
couch, table, trunk,
misc items.

Unit D29

Raul Garcia
2455 E Idaho Ave
Las Cruces, NM
88001

Unit items consist of:
boxes, misc items.

Unit D34

Evangelina Guthrie
341 Salopeck Blvd
Las Cruces, NM
88001

Unit items consist of:
Dryer, furniture,
boxes, misc items.

Unit E24

Cesar Fuentes
642 Snow Rd
Las Cruces, NM
88005

Unit items consist of:
Washer, fan, heater,
misc items.

Unit E33

Lorenza Tavarez
1720 Smith Ave
Las Cruces, NM
88001

Unit items consist of:
Boxes, misc items.

Unit I24

Barbara Saenz
5316 Central Rd.
Las Cruces, NM
88012

Unit items consist of:
Mini fridge, clothing,
shopping cart, misc
items.

Unit I34

Devin R Acosta
3901 Calle Las Mar-
garitas #28
Las Cruces, NM
88007

Unit items consist
of: Furniture, boxes,
totes, misc items.

Unit I40

Socorro Cardenas
2845 El Camino
Real
Las Cruces, NM
88007

Unit items consist of:
totes, boxes, furni-
ture, misc items.

Unit J14

Bradley Berglund
825 Parkview Dr. #4
Las Cruces, NM
88001

Unit items consist
of: Boxes, shelves,
ladder, misc items.

Unit J19

Shiela Fields
2200 Holiday Ave
Trlr 412
Las Cruces, NM

88005
Unit items consist
of: Furniture, plastic
totes, bags, misc
items.

Unit M05

Bradley Berglund
825 Parkview Dr. #4
Las Cruces, NM
88001

Unit items consist of:
Boxes, totes, toolbox,
bike, elliptical, misc
items.

Unit P23

Melody Lozoya
2405 W Picacho
Las Cruces, NM
88007

Unit items consist of:
Totes, bags, clothing.

Dates: 1/10, 1/17,
2025

IN THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF OTE- RO TWELFTH JU- DICIAL DISTRICT COURT

No. D-1215-
PB-2024-00046
Hon. Ellen R. Jessen
IN THE MATTER
OF THE ESTATE
OF FRANK RAN-
DALL COWLING,
DECEASED.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HERE-
BY GIVEN that the
undersigned has
been appointed
personal represen-
tative of this estate.
All people who have
claims against this
estate are required
to present their
claims within four
(4) months after the
date of the first
publication of this
notice, or the claims
will be forever
barred. Claims must
be presented either
to the undersigned
personal represen-
tative at the address
listed below or filed
with the District
Court of Otero,
County, New Mexico,
located at the follow-
ing address: 1000
North New York
Avenue, Alamogordo,
NM 88310.

Dated: 01/03/2025
/s/ Ronald Wesley
Cowling
Ronald Wesley
Cowling
809 Via Pacheco

Camarillo, CA 93012
Submitted: E-Law
P.C. /s/ Michele Ung-
varsky
Michele Ungvasky,
Esq.
Bar No. 8100
1340 Picacho Hills
Drive
Las Cruces, NM
88007
575.556.2462
Attorneys for the
Estate of Frank
Randall Cowling.
Deceased.

Dates: 1/10, 1/17,
01/24, 2025

STATE OF NEW MEXICO IN THE PROBATE COURT DOÑA ANA COUNTY

No. 24-0252
In the Matter of the
Estate of Charles
Joseph Ancil a/k/a
Charles J. Ancil,
deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HERE-
BY GIVEN that the
undersigned has
been appointed per-
sonal representative
of the estate of the
decedent. All per-
sons having claims
against the estate
of the decedent are
required to present
their claims within
four (4) months after
the date of the first
publication of any
published notice to
creditors or sixty
(60) days after the
date of mailing or
other delivery of
this notice, which-
ever is later, or the
claims will be forever
barred. Claims must
be presented either
to the undersigned
personal represen-
tative at the address
listed below, or filed
with the Probate
Court of Dona Ana
County, New Mexico,
located at the follow-
ing address: 845 N.
Motel Blvd., Room
1-200, Las Cruces,
NM 88007
Dated: Jan 8, 2025
/s/ Toni Lee Wood
Toni Lee Wood
42215 Sagewood St.
Murrieta, CA 92562
Dates: 01/17, 01/24,
01/31, 2025

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Notice is hereby
given that the
following property
shall be sold at
public auction or
otherwise disposed
of, in satisfaction of
lien, in accordance
with the New Mexico
Self Storage Lien
Act. To be held
over the internet at
storagetreasures.com
By **DISCOUNT
SELF STORAGE**
5395 Bataan

Memorial W
LAS CRUCES, NM
88012

575 541-5760
BEGINNING
ON TUESDAY,
FEBRUARY 4TH,
2025 AT 10 A.M.

AND ENDING
ON FRIDAY,
FEBRUARY 7TH,
2025 AT 10 A.M.

**THE ENTIRE
CONTENTS OF
STORAGE UNITS:**
18, 120, 129, 317

Tenant address is
"last known."

UNIT 18
BRIAN EVANS
999 W Amador Ave
Las Cruces, NM
88005

Unit items consist
of: Solar panel,
bicycle parts, boxes,
shop vac, tools, misc.
items

UNIT 120
LANA ROBERTS
4595 Camino Dos
Vidas
Las Cruces, NM
88012

Unit items
consist of: Boxes,
bags, Halloween
decorations, Misc.
items

UNIT 129
KIMBERLY
ACOSTA
PO Box 149
Chamberino, NM
88027

Unit items consist of:
Boxes and pull-up
exercise bar

UNIT 317
TINA CALZADA
9414 Butterfield
Blvd
Las Cruces, NM
88011

Unit items consist
of: Audio equipment,
instruments, table,

totes, misc. items
DATES: 01/17,
01/24, 2025

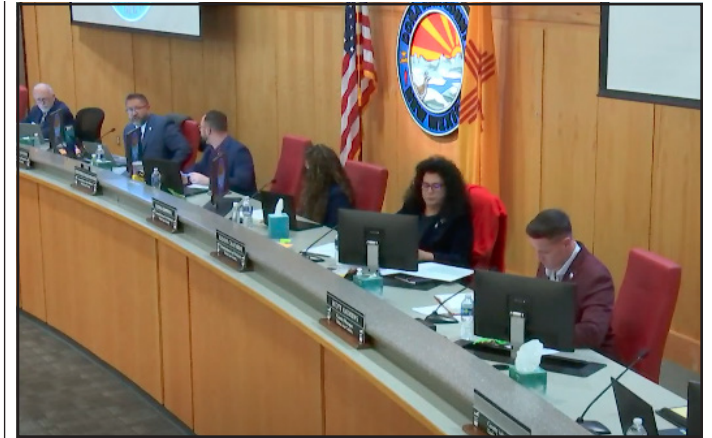
NOTICE is hereby
given that pursuant
to Section 73-13-4
NMSA, the Board of
Directors of Elephant
Butte Irrigation
District (District)
will consider a
Resolution to

transfer water rights
appurtenant to lands
within the District
which are not
suitable for irrigation
or capable of being
properly irrigated to
other lands within
the District, if in the
Board's judgement
the land may be
profitably irrigated
and advantageously
irrigated. The

request is made by
JEFFREY S SMITH
who requests that
the Board suspend
a total of 2.00 acres
of water rights from
lands located in
Section 25, Twp.
21S, Range 1W
NMPM., and being
a part of USRS Map
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and transfer them
to lands owned by
MARY H & BARRY
W SMITH located in
Section 25, Twp. 21S,
Range 1W, NMPM,
being a part of USRS
Map 2-9A2A TR
2 TR 2. The place
of the hearing is
the offices of the
District located at
530 S. Melendres,
Las Cruces, New
Mexico, and the date
of the hearing is
February 12, 2025
at 9:00 a.m. Protest
or protests from any
person or persons
interested may be
heard at the hearing.

At the end of the
hearing, the Board
of Directors shall
take formal action
upon the Resolution.
Any protestant or
protestants may
appeal the decision
of the Board directly
to District Court
within 10 days of the
adoption or rejection
of the Resolution.

Dates: 01/17, 2025



DOÑA ANA COUNTY VIDEO

The Doña Ana County Board of Commissioners convenes at the government center in Las Cruces on Jan. 14, 2025.

Doña Ana County Commission appoints new leadership

BULLETIN REPORT

Christopher Schaljo-Hernandez was reelected as chairperson of the Doña Ana County Board of County Commissioners during a meeting on Jan. 14, while Commissioner Susana Chaparro was elected as vice chair.

Their fellow commissioners elected both to fill the leadership roles for the next year. The roles come with extra power on the commission, which oversees all county government.

Following custom, the chair was elected first, and the elected chair in turn nominates the vice chair.

The terms last through the calendar year. The preliminary business was conducted at the start of business at the board's first meeting of 2025.

"I would definitely like another year as chair to continue the work that we are doing," Schaljo-Hernandez said.

Gloria Gameros, the newest member of the board, elected in 2024, nominated

Commissioner Shannon Reynolds for the chair role, but Reynolds lost the vote 3-2. Schaljo-Hernandez received the support of Chaparro and Commissioner Manuel Sanchez. Chaparro's placement as vice chair was unchallenged, but on a roll call vote, Reynolds abstained without explanation.

Schaljo-Hernandez will chair the board for a second consecutive year. He was elected to the board in 2022, and represents District 1, which includes the town of Mesilla, downtown Las Cruces, the Fairacres and Picacho Hills communities, as well as the communities of Berino, Vado, Mesquite, La Mesa and San Miguel.

According to the county's bylaws, the chair's duties include bringing the commission to order, enforcing order and decorum among the members, signing documents on behalf of the commission and administering oaths when necessary.

The vice chair assumes those duties when the chair is absent.

Desirae Spearman earns preseason honors

NEW MEXICO STATE ATHLETICS REPORT

After earning national recognition earlier this month, New Mexico State's Desirae Spearman climbed even higher this week. D1 Softball released its preseason top 100 players list, in addition to ranking its top stars at the pitcher/utility position. The publication's release of the best athletes in the nation for this upcoming campaign included Spearman coming in at 64th on the list. The dual-threat star occupied one of Con-

ference USA's two slots, in addition to being named the nation's fourth-best athlete at her position.

Last year, Spearman put together a season for the ages. As a true freshman, the El Paso, Texas, native was named CUSA Player of the Year, CUSA Freshman of the Year, CUSA All-Tournament Team, All-CUSA First Team (Pitcher), All-CUSA First Team (Outfielder), CUSA All-Freshman Team, TUCCI/NFCA Division I National Freshman of the Year Top 25 List, CUSA Pitcher of the Week



DESIRAE SPEARMAN

(March 25) and five-time CUSA Freshman of the Week.

In 2024, Spearman maintained a .365 batting average while pacing the conference in home



NEW MEXICO STATE UNIVERSITY PHOTO

NMSU Aggie softball player Desirae Spearman added to her stack of honors when D1 Softball included her in its top 100 list.

runs (18), OPS (1.321) and ranking in the top three with 43 RBIs. The Hanks High School product also ranked second on the team in total bases (109) and fourth on the team in total hits (46) despite missing 14 of the Aggies' 55 games due to injury. The two-way star held a remarkable .794 slugging percentage in league games; higher than any other batter. Spearman ranked 23rd in the nation and led the league with 18 home runs, including

a conference-high 12 in CUSA play.

The Hanks High School product posted three multi-home run games, including two in conference play. Her most recent two-home run outing came at top-seeded Liberty on April 20, when she also tossed a complete game and held the Flames scoreless through 6.2 innings. Against Nebraska, Spearman went the distance again and allowed just one hit in a monumental 3-0 upset victory.

In the circle, Spearman was equally as dominant. She boasted an 8-4 record and racked up 75 strikeouts while maintaining a 3.15 ERA in 17 appearances across 84.1 innings of work.

Conference USA was one of six leagues to place multiple student-athletes on the 100-player list. Spearman was joined by Liberty's Rachel Roupe, after the Flames' star wound up on the 2024 All-CUSA First Team en route to an NCAA Tournament berth.

D1 Softball also ranked 15 standouts at the pitcher/utility position. Spearman finished as the fourth-highest star, behind Ole Miss' Aliyah Binford, Indiana's Brianna Copeland and North Florida's Allison Benning. On Feb. 22, NM State will clash with Florida and Ava Brown, who occupied the seventh-best pitcher/utility spot on the list.

Spearman and the Aggies will open their season on Friday, Feb. 7, from the NM State Softball Complex. An opening-day doubleheader against UC Santa Barbara and Colorado State will commence the NM State Invitational in what is set to be the 51st season in school history. This spring, the program is in pursuit of its first NCAA Tournament appearance since 2018.

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Remembering Carnevale, Maxwell-Berning and Oosterhuis

Mark Carnevale, a longtime fixture on the PGA Tour and in media broadcasting, died unexpectedly on July 22, 2024 at age 64. Referred to by his colleagues as “Carny,” he was born in Annapolis, Maryland, and played college golf for James Madison University. He turned professional in 1983, but it wasn’t until 1992 that his won his first PGA Tour event, the Chattanooga Classic, a win that also won him PGA Tour Rookie of the Year. He later won the Nike Inland Empire Open, on a second tier tour, but Chattanooga was his only PGA Tour win. In 2005 Carnevale began his true career in golf broadcasting, where he

excelled as an on-course reporter for SiriusXM Radio. He also regularly covered tournaments for “PGA Tour LIVE” on ESPN+. PGA Tour Commissioner Jay Monahan posted a statement following Carnevale’s passing: “Mark knew the game and did a terrific job of conveying insights from his unique point of view – and with engaging sense of humor – to fans from countless of Tour events through the years.”

Susie Maxwell Berning, who died on October 2, 2024 at 83, was a trailblazer in women’s professional golf, having won 11 LPGA

tournaments, including three majors. She was born in Pasadena, California, in 1941, and moved with her family to Oklahoma City at age 13. She stumbled into golf (as GlobalGolfPost.com recites it) when her colt broke free on a bridle path, and Maxwell chased it across nearby Lincoln Park Golf Course, where the animal damaged some greens. She made amends with the head pro by teaching his children to ride, and then was invited to the course to see Patty Berg conduct a clinic. At age 15 she was bitten by the golf bug. Golf came

as easy to her as riding that colt. She was the first female to receive a golf scholarship to Oklahoma City University, where she competed on the men’s team. She turned pro in 1964, the year she was named LPGA Rookie of the Year. She proceeded to win 11 times over the span of 12 years, including three U.S. Open titles in 1968, 1972 and 1973, along with the Western Open in 1965 which was considered a major in those days. She retired from competitive golf in 1996 to become a part-time instructor. “Golf has been great to me,” she said in her WGHOF remarks, “throughout my golf career I was able to raise a family (two daugh-

ters), which was icing on the cake. That’s one reason I didn’t play as many years or as many events.”

Englishman Peter Oosterhuis was a successful professional golfer and broadcaster who died on May 2, 2024, one day shy of his 76th birthday. He was fondly known in the golfing community as “Oosty.” Oosterhuis turned professional in November 1968, winning seven times on the European Tour and three times on the South African Tour. He won the Harry Vardon/European Order of Merit four times (1971-74). His only PGA Tour win was the 1981 Canadian Open in which he defeated Andy North, Bruce Lietzke and Jack

Nicklaus by one shot. It is possible that Oosty underperformed in stroke-play tour events, but the evidence of how strong his game proved to be was in the six Ryder Cups he played from 1971 through 1981, representing Great Britain, Ireland/Europe. In 1994 Oosty was hired to cover the PGA Tour by Britain’s Sky Sports and covered the Open Championship for the BBC in 1996 and 1997. In 1998, he joined the CBS Sports announcer team, with stalwarts Jim Nantz, Ken Venturi, Peter Kostis and Gary McCord. His broadcast analyst career wrapped up in 2015 when he announced that he had early stages of Alzheimer’s.



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